

JAPANESE KNOW

HOW THE JAPANESE WON OUT.

Assault Was a Fierce and Bloody Affair.

Splendid Stroke of Fortune Saved Day for the Japs.

TOKIO, May 28 (4:30 p. m.)—The Japanese assault on Nanshan hill was one of the fiercest and bloodiest affairs in modern warfare. In the earlier rushes of the engagement every man participating was shot down before he reached the first line of Russian trenches. It was found necessary to stop these infantry charges and renew the artillery fire from the rear before the final and successful assault on the Russian position could be made. The success of this assault was brought about by one detachment of Japanese troops, more intrepid than their comrades, who succeeded in piercing the Russian line.

A SPLENDID STROKE.

A splendid stroke of fortune was the discovery and destruction by the Japanese of the electric wires leading to the mines at the eastern foot of Nanshan hill. This prevented the Russians from exploding these mines when the Japanese infantry crossed the ground where they had been placed.

TROOPS SAVED.

It is possible that the fortunes of the day hinged upon these mines. If the Russians had been able to explode them at the right time the losses among the Japanese troops would have been tremendous and it is possible also that the Russians would have been able to hold the hill.

Nanshan was splendidly defended. Nearly fifty guns of various sizes were mounted on the various emplacements and there were also two batteries of quick-firing pieces. The artillery was sheltered behind loop-holed trenches on the terraces of the hill. The infantry manning the field pieces ran with them around the hill, thus using these guns for the protection of the most important points. The Japanese began the fight by bringing all their field guns into action and concentrating their fire on the emplacements on the hill. By 11 o'clock in the morning the principal Russian batteries had been silenced. The two Russian field batteries then withdrew to Nan Quan Ling Hill, and from there continued to fire on the Japanese until night-fall.

BATTERIES SILENCED.

After the Russian batteries had been silenced the Japanese artillery opened on the enemy's trenches, the Japanese infantry advancing, meanwhile, to within rifle range. The Japanese gradually worked forward to within 400 meters of the Russian lines, where they encountered wire and other entanglements. They succeeded in discovering an opening in these obstacles and, getting finally to within 200 meters of the Russian trenches, they rushed for the line.

Several successive charges were made

FIRING ON THE SHIPS.

Several Japanese Were Killed During Bombardment.

TOKIO, May 28 (11 p. m.)—The Japanese squadron which was assigned to cooperate in the attack of the second army on Kin Chou and Nanshan hill, composed of the gunboats Thukishi, Amagi, Helyen and Chokai and the first torpedo boat flotilla, entered Kin Chou bay on Wednesday. A heavy sea prevented its participation in the fighting of that day. The weather cleared on Thursday morning, however, and in spite of the shallowness of the water the squadron steamed close to shore and bombarded the Russian batteries.

Early in the action a shell passed over the forward deck of the Chokai, killing a lieutenant and two petty officers and wounding two men.

The torpedo-boat flotilla shelled the railroad near the Shaos river. The torpedo boats took soundings and guided the larger ships. The squadron advanced with the Japanese right and aided in covering it.

Later in the day the falling tide compelled the withdrawal of the larger warships.

Captain Hayashi, commander of the Chokai, was killed by the explosion of a shell near one of the ship's guns. Four other men were wounded.

The vessels themselves were not damaged.

but every officer and man in the attacking parties was shot down 20 or 30 meters from the line.

INFANTRY LOSS.

The charges were then stopped and the Japanese artillery renewed its preparatory fire on the enemy's position. Towards evening a detachment of Japanese carried a section of the Russian trenches, breaking through the enemy's line.

Hundreds of the comrades of these men, inspired by their success, sprang forward and then the entire Japanese line swept up the hill, driving the Russians from their positions. It was in the desperate infantry charges that the Japanese sustained the bulk of their losses.

HOW THE JAPS FORCED THE FIGHTING ON THE HILLS.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—The following cablegram from the Foreign Office at Tokio was received at the Japanese legation today:

"TOKIO, May 28.—The commander of the army attacking Kin Chou reports that a detachment of our troops consisting of infantry, artillery and engineers, occupied Nan Quan Ling on the morning of May 27. The enemy fled in the direction of Port Arthur, after burning a railway station at Shan Shi Hui Tao, northwest of Dalny. On the 28th our troops captured fifty guns, besides many other things. The number of the enemy's dead left on the field amounted to 400. Our casualties, including dead and wounded, are estimated at 2000.

"The Russians, in the end, are expected to total two thousand men.

"It is doubted if the Russian will stand again north of Port Arthur. They retired from the field beaten and they failed to rally at Nan Quan Ling, where it was anticipated that a second stand would be made.

"The desperate onslaughts of the Japanese on the heights of Nanshan were telling, for the Russians left three hun-

ded dead in the trenches there. A complete search of this field is expected to show a greater number of dead.

"Nan Quan Ling was occupied yesterday morning by a force of infantry, artillery and engineers under the command of Gen. Nakamura. The main Japanese force spent Friday night billeted in the villages around Nanshan. The soldiers were greatly fatigued as a result of the constant fighting, but they entered with much spirit upon the new operations.

"A force of Russians held Sanchilipu station, which is northwest of Dalny, but the Japanese drove them out. The Russians abandoned and burned the station and retired in the direction of Port Arthur.

"The estimates of the Russians engaged in the defense of Kin Chou, Nanshan Hill and the South shore of Tallenwan Bay vary, but it is evident that the Russians drew for men from the forces at Port Arthur and offered all the resistance possible. It is understood here that Lieutenant-General Stoessel, commander of the military forces at Port Arthur was in personal command of the recent operations.

"As soon as the Japanese troops have rested they will press on to the south."

OR QUAY PASSES
WAY AT HOME

Dr. Wilson under authority of the Quay family.
Matthew Stanley Quay was born in Ellensburg, Pennsylvania, September 30, 1838. He graduated at Jefferson College in 1860. He was admitted to the Bar in 1864. He was elected prothonotary of

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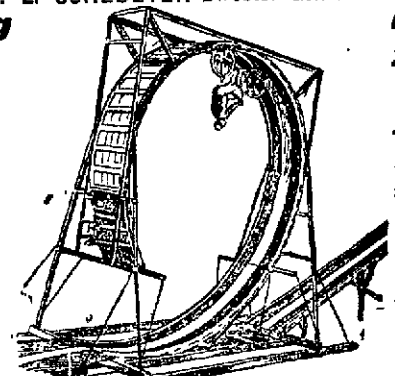
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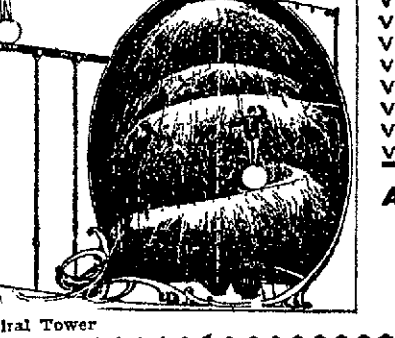
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THE LATEST NEWS.

NEWS IN RUSSIA.

SUES THE COUNTY.

PEOPLE ARE HAPPY.

Emperor Hears Story of Defeat of His Troops.

C. S. MacMullan Brings An Action to Recover \$21,790.

Do Not Seem to Be Disturbed By the War.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 28.—Emperor Nicholas received the news of the result of the fighting at Kin Chou and in the vicinity of the Palace of the Tsar. He at once sent for War Minister Sakharoff, with whom His Majesty, with the members of his military cabinet, went over the dispatch.

The Emperor received the report that the Russians were compelled to retreat before the heavy artillery fire of the enemy's batteries in front and of his warships on their bank with composure, and the fortune of war, but he was considerably agitated by the later reports that General Fock had not succeeded in saving the Russian guns. The members of the military cabinet point out that this later report was not official and besides he expressed complete confidence that Fort Arthur itself could not be reduced except at an immense cost of time and men and with the aid of the heaviest kind of guns. General Sakharoff also said that he did not believe the report that the enemy had arrived within twenty hours of Port Arthur within twenty-four hours after the desperate fighting at Kin Chou.

It is said that the Emperor has received despatches from General Kuropatkin regarding the situation, some of which may be given out tonight.

The news in the foreign dispatch has produced the usual crop of sensational stories about the Russian Government concealing the extent of the disaster, but the only justification for this allegation seems to be the sudden stoppage of all newspaper despatches from the seat of war. Most of the foreign reports are alleged to be printed as soon as received.

"If the Japanese lost 30,000 men in taking Kin Chou," an officer said, "they will take 30,000 men at least if they try to take Port Arthur. Even with such sacrifice, I consider the capture of the fortress to be impossible. Port Arthur, in my opinion, is invulnerable as long as its food and ammunition hold out."

DRUG CLERK AGAIN IN TOILS.

Stanley H. Rich, a drug clerk, was arrested this afternoon by Detective Quigley on the charge of having burglarized Whistler's drug store last Thursday evening. On that night the store was entered through the basement and the only person taken from the register. This was attached to Rich from the fact that he was alleged to have been connected with minor thefts before.

Rich came to notoriety through his connection with the alleged poisoning of Dr. Enos. He made the chemical analysis of the candy, which was supposed to have poisoned the physician, with the assistance of a lady. At that time he was in the employ of Hyde's drug store.

His bail has been fixed at \$2,000. He is prominently connected in this city. His parents live near Castro and Eleventh streets.

SWEEPING VICTORY.

TOKIO, May 28, 12:30 p. m.—Japan paid heavily for her victories at Kin Chou, Nanshan and Taitanwan losing three thousand men killed and wounded in the repeated assaults against these strong positions, but she scored a sweeping and valuable victory over the Russians.

There are twenty different cinnamon barks, and they cost from 1/4 to 3/5c lb. This explains the market, all but one particular. Schilling's Best is the best with the coarser pieces picked out; not thrown away; oh no; they go to some less particular grinder.

Moneyback everything.

BANKING BY MAIL

In many Eastern Cities is growing to large proportions with a tendency to increasing popularity.

The depositor encloses a check or postal order and pass-book in an envelope and sends them to the Bank through the mail. The pass-book is returned the same way. It saves the time of a busy man, and is perfectly safe.

This system prevails not only between distant cities, but between such near-by points as Oakland and Berkeley and San Francisco and even between different sections of the same city.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS

TWELFTH AND BROADWAY, OAKLAND

C. S. MacMullan has brought suit against the county of Alameda to try and enforce the Supervisors to pay his claim of \$21,790.50 accruing to him by virtue of an alleged agreement entered into between him and the Board of Supervisors whereby he was to get 50 per cent of the taxes on all unassessed property he could find which by one means or another was 'scapegrating' duty. He wrote a letter to the board making an offer which he claims was accepted.

A complaint setting forth his case was filed by Attorney M. C. Chapman this afternoon. He claims that MacMullan discovered property that yielded taxes to the amount of \$43,581.60 and that half of this sum belongs to his client. He says that the demands made for its payment have been refused by the Supervisors upon the ground that it is not a proper charge against the county.

JUDGE BURNETT IN TOWN.

MEETS THE POLITICAL LEADERS ACROSS THE BAY.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—Judge A. G. Burnett of Santa Rosa, chairman of the recent Republican State Convention, came to town this morning and has spent the day among the prominent political leaders and managers at the Union League Club. The Judge lunched at the club at noon and also exchanged greetings with a large number of visitors.

Considerable importance attaches to his visit to the city today because of the fact that, as chairman of the convention, it was left to him to select and appoint the Executive or Governing Committee of the State Central Committee, and he has about completed the work in that regard. It is expected that he will make a formal announcement this evening of his selections.

Therefore, the politicians are on the tip-toe of expectancy. There are many interests and many factions that desire representation on the executive committee, and Judge Burnett has been compelled to listen to the claims and counter-claims of all.

It is evident that he is exercising his own free will and judgment in making up this important committee, and as his control of the convention was eminently satisfactory to all parties, it is generally anticipated that the men named on the executive committee also will be acceptable.

WILL WELCOME ROAD.

On Wednesday next at 10 a. m. the Key Route will inaugurate its ferry system in Piedmont. The terminal of the road will be on Piedmont avenue, between Fortieth and Forty-first streets.

Today the Piedmont District Improvement Club appointed a committee, consisting of Charles Roth, Rev. Miles F. Fisher and George W. Kelly, with power to act in preparation for the first train and the official opening of the road.

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A small blaze at the home of A. Taylor, 1055 East Eleventh avenue was responsible for the fire department being called out at noon. No damage was done.

SEOUL, Korea, May 28.—2 p. m.—Edwin V. Morgan, the United States consul at Port Dalny who arrived here today, is the first American official to journey from Pusan to Seoul overland. The trip took ten days. Mr. Morgan says that contrary to the stories which are constantly circulated in Seoul to the effect that bandits are active in this section, he found the country to be quiet, content and peacefully pursuing their agricultural vocations. There is promise of good crops.

There are many Japanese traders along the railroad line as far as Taikui, but none north of that point. As far north as Shien, 56 miles from Pusan, the railroad is now well built and trains run smoothly. The 35 miles of the road to Mitsuyo are open to regular passenger traffic. The 14 miles to Seldo are traversed only by construction trains. This section has stone and iron bridges, the culverts are faced with masonry and the cuttings are complete. On the last section of the line, to Shoken, the bridges are not yet finished. The 100-foot bridge south of Taikui is not completed. A switchback is being built to Cross Hill. The engineers in charge of the construction work hope to meet with the branch being built south from Seoul by the end of this year.

Leaving the railroad at Taikui Mr. Morgan followed the main Japanese telegraph line into Seoul. The telegraph line is patrolled daily by bodies of from 12 to 20 soldiers who are stationed at intervals of thirty miles. Mr. Morgan was treated with great courtesy by the Japanese officials.

CHARLES CAZZASA BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of Charles Cazzasa, who died last Wednesday, May 25, at Temescal, was held today under the direction of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, Oakland Aerie, No. 7, and the Columbia Lodge, both of which orders the young man was a member. Typhoid malaria was the cause of the young man's demise. He was 21 years and 8 months of age and for some years had been associated with his father, Vincenzo Cazzasa, in the garment business at the seventh and Shattuck avenue. The funeral cortege started from the Columbia Lodge rooms on Eighth street at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon and the interment was at St. Mary's cemetery.

The death of Charles Cazzasa is particularly sad and the man of sterling qualities, a good citizen and much beloved by all who knew him.

The floral decorations were beautiful. The casket was covered with white lilies and surrounding arches of flowers on the top of each of which rested a white emblematic of the order of life and conduct with which his friends esteemed him. A broken wreath from Columbia Lodge was placed prominently in the front of the casket, signifying the breaking of the even fellowship of the fraternity through the loss of their brother. Beautiful floral offerings were prominent and filled the large rooms to overflowing.

Fully 400 friends and close acquaintances gathered at the funeral and accompanied the body to its last resting place. The dead march was rendered by the Oakland Concert Band.

FIELD RESULTS.

PHILADELPHIA, May 28.—The intercollegiate results are as follows:

One mile run, final—Won by Munson, Cornell. Time, 4:25 3-5.

Shot put, final—Won by Schoenhaus, Harvard. 44 feet, 4 inches.

100-yard dash, final—Won by Taylor, Pennsylvania. Time, 1:5 1-5.

This breaks the intercollegiate record of 1:4 2-5 seconds held by M. W. Long, Columbia.

20-yard hurdle—Won by Clapp, Yale. Time, 15 3-5 seconds.

Running jump, final—Won by Lowe, Syracuse. 5 feet, 11 inches.

100-yard dash, final—Won by Shick, Harvard. Time, 1:5 1-5 seconds.

Two mile run, final—Won by Schutt, Cornell. Time 9:47 3-5.

Half-mile run, final—Won by Parsons, Yale. Time, 1:56 4-5, which equals the intercollegiate record.

Running broad jump, final—Won by Stangland, Columbia. 23 feet 6 1/2 inches.

20-yard hurdle (final)—Won by Clapp, Yale. Time, 14 3-5 seconds.

Hammer throw, final—Won by De Witt, Princeton. 181 feet 3 inches.

Pole vault, final—Gring, Harvard; Gendiner, Syracuse, and McLanahan, Yale, tied for first place at 11 feet 7 inches, breaking the intercollegiate record held by Gardiner of Syracuse and Horton of Princeton.

20-yard dash, final—Won by Schick, Harvard. Time, 21 2-5 seconds.

Yale won the intercollegiate meet, scoring 34 1-3 points; Harvard was second with 25 1-3 points; Pennsylvania third, 24 points, and Princeton and Cornell fourth with 15 points.

W. F. HERRIN'S NEW OFFICE.

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(Signed.)

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

MILITIA WILL NOT PARADE.

YOUNGEST FORGER ON RECORD.

NATIONAL GUARD WILL NOT APPEAR IN MEMORIAL EXERCISES.

JOE FIEDLER, BRIGHT FRUITVALE PUPIL GETS DISHONEST MONEY.

The militia of this city will not take part in the celebration of Memorial Day Monday next at the cemetery in this city. This fact is set forth by the following self-explanatory letter to Captain King, commanding V. 74th Reserve from Secretary Charles E. Powell of Company A, N. G. C.

"Regarding your invitation to take part in Memorial Day parade, will say that we find it impossible to get enough of the boys to turn out to make a proper showing. Accordingly, we are obliged to decline your favor. Thanking you for the same, we remain, cordially yours."

Another reason advanced for the failure of the militia to parade is the absence of belts, which have not, as yet, been supplied the local commands with the Krag-Jorgensen rifles which are on hand.

The children inmates of Fred Finch Orphanage, Monday next, as was the case last year, will be the guests of the management of the parade, gotten up under the auspices of A. Company, V. 74th Reserve. The children will be in the cemetery exercises and, after their return to this city will be treated to ice cream and cake, after which they will be driven back to the orphanage. While in town they will be under the care of Captains Rand and Hunt.

The adult participants in the same parade will be refreshed in the Armory of A. Company, V. 74th Reserve, at Twelfth and Harrison streets, with punch and beer, coffee, ham sandwiches, lemonade, doughnuts, rhubarb pie and angel food. The lemonade will be supplied by the V. 74th Reserve. These ladies, also in conjunction with Lookout Mountain, W. R. C., of Berkeley will supply the pies. The rest of the feast will be foraged by the Reserves.

TWO WOMEN ARE DEAD.

Anna M. Hackman, wife of Henry Hackman, a farmer residing three miles east of Livermore, was found dead today at her home. The cause of death is unknown. She had not had a sick day for many years and her demise was entirely unexpected.

She was 72 years of age, was found dead today at her home, 1180 East Sixteenth street by the letter carrier who delivers mail in that portion of the city. The fact that the previous day's mail had not been touched led the mail carrier to make an investigation. He called in Addison Goodrich, a neighbor.

Inquests will be held on the remains of both women as they were not attended by physicians during their last sickness.

SHOT IN QUAIREL.

SACRAMENTO, May 28.—About 11 o'clock today Edward Welch, who conducts a saloon in the Red Light District of the city, went to the place known as the Concentration Camp, where the most of the fallen women of Sacramento have been living for some time in the city.

Welch, who is engaged in a quarrel with George Green, the manager of the place. Bad feeling has existed between the men for a long time. Green fired a shot at Welch, the latter being hit in the chest. The wounded man was taken to the city receiving hospital. Green went to the city prison and surrendered himself. He says he shot in self defense. A pistol was taken from the side of Welch when the officers arrived upon the scene.

PROF. PAGET'S EFFECTS.

The appraisement of the personal effects of the late Professor Golden Victor Paget was filed with the courts today by Professors Benjamin Ide Wheeler, Frank Soule and Samuel L. Cramm, who were appointed by Judge W. B. Greene to do this work. All together his effects are considered of the value of \$450.91.

The inventory contains the following items: Cash, \$216.91; books appraised at \$50; watch and chain, \$25; spectacles, \$2; gold pencil, \$5; clothing, \$5; two snuff boxes, \$3.

SMALL BOY ARRESTED.

Chauncy Watson, aged 11 years, has been arrested in Berkeley on the charge of stealing a bicycle from Mrs. Thomas.

ROME, May 28.—The Pope was up until 1 o'clock this morning awaiting telegrams about the result of the election in the French Chamber of Deputies on the policy of the Combes committee towards the Vatican. Notwithstanding the anti-Papal statement of Premier Combes, the Pontiff expresses satisfaction at the fact that the chamber did not accept the proposals of the extreme party, rendering the Franco-Vatican rupture definite, as he believes that with time and reciprocal explanations all will be satisfactorily settled.

The Pontiff has reserved a definite decision as to his future attitude until he has consulted the leading cardinals and received the support of the Papal Nuncio at Paris and minutes of the sitting of the Chamber of Deputies.

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Alaska Packers' Assn.....	138 1/2
5 Giant.....	60 1/2
5 Alaska P. A.....	132 1/2
10 m Oakland Transit Co.....	101 1/2
10 m Pac. Elec. Co.....	108
10 m Sact. Elec. Co.....	87 1/2
5 m N Ry 6%.....	100 1/2
MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.	
Bay Coun. Power Co 5%.....	101 1/2
C. C. & E. G. M. & C. T. 5%.....	82 1/2
Mkt. St. Ry 1st Con. Mfg. 5%.....	102 1/2
Northern Ry. of Cal. 6%.....	106 1/2
North Pacific Coast RR 5%.....	106
Oakland Transit Co 8%.....	119 1/2
Oakland Transit Co 5%.....	112 1/2
Oakland Transit Co 4%.....	101 1/2
Pacific Electric Ry 5%.....	104 1/2
Park & Cliff House RR 5%.....	105
Sact. Elec. Co. Gas & Ry 6%.....	97 1/2
S. F. & S. J. Valley 6%.....	115 1/2
Sierra Ry. of Cal. 6%.....	110
S. P. RR of Cal. 5%.....	114 1/2
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The Recent Population Estimates

S. N. D. North, director of the Bureau of Population Statistics, has replied to the criticisms evoked by the population estimates recently issued by the Department of Commerce and Labor. His reply is in the shape of an explanatory report to Secretary Cortelyou, but copies of it have been sent out to all the newspapers that criticized the estimates.

Mr. North does not claim the estimates to be accurate; they are mere approximations figured out according to a rule which the director claims to be more generally reliable in reaching correct estimates than either the registration or the school census. In no sense are the estimates to be considered a census; but it is necessary to make them every two years, as a basis for national bank circulation, mail delivery and other purposes. As Mr. North says, "These estimates are in no sense a census, nor are they based upon an investigation of the peculiar local conditions which may affect local cases."

In short, the estimates were made in accordance with a general rule of averages, having no reference to the facts of actual growth. Thus the registration, the school census, the city directory and the municipal census, as well as the building record and the postal receipts which bear upon population statistics, were all ignored in estimating the population of Oakland. The explanation explains how the mistakes in the estimates were made, but it does not correct the mistakes themselves. Oakland is still short on the government's books about 20,000 of its real population.

No doubt Mr. North's method of computation is fairly accurate, taking the country at large, but it is grossly inaccurate when applied to localities. For instance, the rate of growth in Oakland since 1900 is fully three times as great as during the previous decade. Some cities grow much faster than others, some are standing still and some show a tendency to retrograde. The growth of a city during one decade can never be a fair index to the growth in the succeeding decade.

Director North concludes his explanation of his population estimates with this note:

"If we project the population of the Continental United States for the entire decade in which we are now living, by the census method, we reach the conclusion that the thirteenth census in 1910 will show a population in the neighborhood of 89,041,436. This indicates a percentage of increase of 17.3, as compared with 20.7 in the decade 1890-1900. Events are possible in the future development of the country, which will put this estimate away from the actual census of 1910. Such a possibility exists under every method of estimating."

This is fairly put, but we think his estimate for 1910 will fall short of reality because of the enormous volume of immigration. If immigrants continue to pour into the country at the rate they have come in since 1900, the increase from that source alone will exceed 6,000,000. The normal increase of the indigenous population will be not far from 13 per cent, giving a total of several millions greater than that estimated by Director North.

The Storming of Kinchou

The storming of Kinchou and the adjacent heights by the Japanese was a brilliant feat of arms that foreshadowed the early fall of Port Arthur. It insures the occupation of Dabou, which will give the Japanese a naval and military base directly behind the siege lines. General Stoessel has been fairly defeated on ground of his own picking, by frontal attack, and driven from a position of great natural strength, strongly fortified, with the loss of many guns. This makes it impossible to hold Dabou and will compel a retirement to the defense immediately around Port Arthur. The defeat must be disheartening to the Russian garrison, which has had little to give encouragement in the encounters to date. In view of the gallantry and generalship displayed by the Japanese, it is exceedingly doubtful if the provision and ammunition supply will determine the length of time Port Arthur can hold out. Apparently General Oku has no mind for a long, slow siege. He desires to wind up the Port Arthur business as quickly as he can, that nothing may interfere with the operation of driving Kuropatkin out of Manchuria.

No reliance is to be placed in the dispatches from Harbin and St. Petersburg giving accounts of tremendous Japanese slaughter. At Harbin no more could be known of what occurred at Kinchou than could be known at Timbuctoo. And the Russian is the most gifted liar under the sun, if we except the Armenian. These apocryphal stories are transmitted by the Central News agency, which seems to employ none but Munchausens on its staff of correspondents. Besides, all reports originating from Russian sources are to be discredited, as events have abundantly proved.

While General Oku is pressing General Stoessel into a corner, General Kuroki is strengthening and extending his position in front of Kuropatkin. He is conducting spirited reconnaissance in every direction and uncovering the position and strength of the Russian lines. At the same time he is getting up supplies and reinforcements. All this portends a speedy forward movement which will either compel Kuropatkin to retreat or give battle.

The dream of connecting North and South America by rail is in process of realization. Construction work is about to be commenced on the extension of the Pan-American Railroad from Tonala, State of Chihuahua, to Tapachula, on the Guatemalan border, where it will connect with the Guatemalan Central Railway. When this extension is completed it will be possible to travel from any part of the United States or Canada by rail to Guatemala. Thereafter an early rail extension to the Isthmus of Panama may be looked for. From Panama southward construction will be more difficult and expensive, but in time the rail system of North America will be pushed to a connection with the systems of Peru, Brazil, Chili and the Argentine. By the time the Isthmian canal is open for traffic it is not at all unlikely that one may be able to travel from New York or San Francisco to Panama entirely by rail.

The reverses Russia is meeting in the war with Japan is creating new difficulties for the Czar in Poland and Finland. Those two provinces are almost in flat rebellion. So dangerous is the state of unrest that it is deemed unsafe to weaken the garrisons; therefore, reserves are being sent to the front instead of the regular battalions. To add to the embarrassment, the imperial authorities are afraid to place much dependence in the Polish and Finnish regiments which are consequently held under arms away from their own country but far from the scene of war.

Death of a Promising California Author

The untimely death of George S. Evans removes a young writer of brilliant promise. Oakland has produced many men and women of literary talent, but none whose performances indicated greater future achievements than Mr. Evans. Educated to the law, he turned to literature as a recreation and found it to be the pursuit for which he was best fitted by taste and natural aptitude. Up to the time of his death he had been a writer of short stories and sketches only, but he was gathering material for more ambitious works and training himself for higher forms of literary execution. He had a fine sense of humor, that gift of the gods which saves life from being too sad and serious, and which gives light and laughter amid the most sorrowful things. He saw people as they are—and felt them—rather than inanimate things, and his stories were racy of the soil and the environment in which the characters moved. He felt a victim to his passion for studying them at close range on their native heath. California authorship has sustained a great loss in his death.

THE NEXT HOUSE

The Hon. William S. Cowherd of Missouri, the new chairman of the Democratic Congressional Committee, is already carrying the next House of Representatives. He is not carrying it by the enormous majorities rolled up about this time two years ago by his Mark Tapley predecessor, the Hon. "Jim" Griggs, of Georgia. He is satisfied to scratch through for the present with a margin of two or three seats. "There is a majority of only thirty-two against us now," he said the other day in his first bulletin from headquarters. "And we shall be able to take more than sixteen seats away from the Republicans." Mr. Cowherd puts the majority against his party in the House at thirty-two. In the House as elected in November, 1902, the Republican majority was only thirty. It has been increased since then, through the unseating of Mr. Howell of Pennsylvania and Mr. Shafroth of Colorado to thirty-four. Counting the Tenth Pennsylvania and the First Colorado as Republican districts, the Democrats will have to recover eighteen seats to win the House. The new Democratic chairman wisely refrains from naming the districts now Republican which he expects to carry. To do that might uncover his own plans. But it would likewise expose the rainbow character of his hopes and cal-

culations. There is, in fact, only the remotest prospect of Democratic gains in the next House of Representatives. Under the Nation's apportionments of 1882 and 1891 the House was normally Democratic. Under the apportionment of 1901 it has become normally Republican. The elections of 1902 gave the Democratic party as full a representation in the lower branch of Congress as it is entitled to under "off year" conditions; and it is more likely to lose seats than to gain them in the stress of a Presidential contest. In the New England States two years ago five Democratic Representatives were elected—four in Massachusetts and one in Rhode Island. Two of the Massachusetts districts are likely to be recovered by the Republicans this fall, and the Rhode Island one is pretty certain to be. Surely no Democratic gains can be reasonably looked for in New England. In New York the First, Fifth, Sixth and Thirteenth districts, carried two years ago by Democratic candidates, will probably be recaptured. Of the thirty-seven representatives from this State the Republicans should elect twenty-three at least, against twenty in 1902. In Pennsylvania one district now Republican may be lost; but that loss can easily be recouped by carrying Delaware, which two years ago, with rival Republican nominees in the field, elected a Democrat.

In the South there is no prospect of Democratic gains. The Republicans will retain the two seats they now have from Tennessee, and the single seats now theirs from Missouri and Kentucky. They may lose one seat in Maryland and one in Virginia, but they have an excellent chance to capture at least one seat in Western North Carolina. West Virginia has fallen but once since 1904 to elect a solid Republican delegation. Republican representation from the South has reached its minimum. There is little hope of reducing it further. In the Middle West Mr. Cowherd may possibly count on gaining one district in Ohio; but he will do well to hold the five districts now counted as Democratic in Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Nebraska, and Iowa. In the Far West the Democratic outlook is equally unpromising. A seat in Montana may be won, but at least two of the three districts in California now Democratic are in danger of capture. A Democratic Presidential candidate nominated to placate the East cannot appeal effectively to the West. Two years ago the Democratic Congressional Committee encouraged candidates to run "each on his own platform." This year Democratic principles will have to be redefined and party lines will have to be drawn, at least to the extent of holding Democratic nominees for Congress to some uniform and definite program.—New York Tribune.

SOME PASSING JESTS

Still Active.
"I told Uncle Simon that he was getting too old and foolish to attend to business."
"Did he take it kindly?"
"He threw me out of the office."
—Vanity Fair.

A Modern Request.
"This little that I ask of thee—
A life exempt from hell."
A horse, a dog, a pleasant mate,
And a little radium farm!
—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Proof of Economy.
"I am doing my best to convince George that I am economical."
"What have you done?"
"I have worn the same dress twice."
—New York.

VARIOUS MISTAKES.
Gen. Miles, while standing in the lobby of the Arlington hotel in Washington recently, happened to overhear a remark made by an undersized man who was standing near. "During the Spanish war," the young man said, "I took five Spanish officers without any assistance from the army or navy."
"What's that?" asked Gen. Miles, turning upon him abruptly. "You say you took five Spanish officers without the assistance of the army or navy?"
"That's exactly what I said, sir," replied the young man; "by myself without any loss of blood. It happened at Boston. It happened at Boston. Here is my card. I am Smallmouth, the photographer. Now, if you will allow me to pose you, general—" But the general had fled.

When Senator Bacon some weeks ago in the United States Senate assailed the charter of Frederick the Great in discussing the acceptance of Emperor William II's great ancestor's statue, Senator Stewart of Nevada replied with warmth. He told of personally visiting the place in Holland where Frederick had labored as a shipwright, fitting himself to command by learning to obey. He grew really eloquent and neatly demolished Mr. Bacon. But later in the day he was wildly rushing round to make it right with the reporters. He had discovered that he had been making a speech about Peter the Great instead of Frederick the Great.

David Belasco and Henry de Mille collaborated once on a play in which they used the line from the psalms of David, "Lord, how long shall the wicked triumph?" The actor to whom this line fell expressed his dissatisfaction with it and confided his feelings to De Mille. "Are you stuck on it?" the actor asked him. "Yes," said De Mille. "I must confess I am. You see the line is mine. It's David's. I thought so," said the actor, any one could tell that that was some of Dave Belasco's bad English."

"THE MAN WITH THE HOE."
Edwin Barker writes a parody on "The Man With the Hoe" for this week's News Letter. It is entitled "The Man with the Dough" and it is one of the hottest pieces of campaign literature ever issued. Accompanying this is a clever cartoon by that rising young artist, Devlinport.

The race track evil and the blow it has received at the hands of the Western Union Telegraph Company is the subject of a leading editorial that will make the gambler shudder.

The opposition of the labor unions to the militia, the United States army and the army and militia bands is treated at length in another spicy article. "The Labor, Militia and the Society" columns contain exclusive society news. The dramatic criticism is bright and sparkling and the insurance department is making a sensation among the brokers. Altogether, a good number.

HELD AN ORATORICAL CONTEST.
PORTLAND, Ore., May 28.—The Western Inter-State Oratorical contest of the Inter-Collegiate Prohibition Association held here tonight was won by Walter R. Miles, Newberg, Ore., Charles P. Bazata, Occidental College, of Los Angeles, Calif., second and William E. Boddy of the Seattle Seminary, Seattle, third.

A Bad Stomach
Lessens the usefulness and mars the happiness of life.
It's a weak stomach, a stomach that cannot properly perform its functions.
Among its symptoms are distress after eating, nausea between meals, heartburn, belching, vomiting, flatulence and nervous headache.

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Cures a bad stomach, indigestion and dyspepsia, and the cure is permanent.
Accept no substitute.

COLLEGIANS ON TRACK.
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 28.—The annual and classic in the inter-collegiate championships of America took place today on Franklin field before a crowd that taxed the capacity of the stands. Weather conditions were perfect and the track was splendid. The contestants appeared to be in fine fettle when they came on the field.

BARRETT FROM PANAMA.
NEW YORK, May 28.—Among the passengers who arrived today on board the steamer Lucia from Liverpool was John Barrett, United States minister to Panama.

WILL DEMAND THE UNION CARD.

BARBERS STAIT ACTIVE CAMPAIGN AMONG THE LOCAL UNIONS.

The Barbers' Union is preparing for a strenuous campaign to enforce the display of the union card in all shops. A committee has been appointed, composed of Messrs. Leo Morrow, Aikens and Freshner, for the purpose of visiting the various shops and also the local unions. They will request that every effort be made to further the interests of those who display the union card by patronizing them and getting friends to do the same.

MILLMEN'S MEETING.
At their meeting last night the millmen initiated two candidates and admitted one by clearance card. There are seven applicants on the table. The butchers' association was paid.

PLUMBERS' PICNIC.
The plumbers' picnic today was largely attended by the local and San Francisco unions. There were games for prizes, music, dancing and a general good time during the day and the amusement will continue till a late hour tonight.

WILL HEAR "MOTHER JONES."
Nearly every local union has accepted the invitation extended by the Central Labor Council to attend the mass meeting tonight at East Union Hall, which will be addressed by that unique and picturesque character in labor circles, "Mother" Jones, known as "the Miners' Friend."

WATER FRONT FEDERATION.
At their last meeting the Brotherhood of Lumber Handlers discussed at length the matter of establishing a water front federation, to which all local water front unions would be entitled to send delegates. The matter will be given further consideration at the next meeting of the union.

FREIGHT CLERKS' EXCURSION.
On Monday the freight clerks in the employ of the San Diego Pacific Company will go on an excursion to Sunset Park, in the Santa Cruz mountains. The officials of the company are to place special trains at the service of the clerks.

The committee in charge of the affair has arranged for dancing, games and other amusements. The following compose the committee: C. J. Jones, W. J. Hardy, John Edwards, F. H. Fortene, W. B. Faulkner, G. J. Strong, J. P. Freeland, R. V. Miller, W. Marshall, A. J. Kattel, C. A. Miller, C. F. Hodest, L. E. Myers, G. H. Brackett, Isaac P. Scott, W. V. Swartz, J. L. Lillo, W. F. Long, E. F. Conney, J. Tremper, E. R. Myers, H. J. Breen and A. L. Shipley.

BOYSEN'S ART-WORK IN YOSEMITE.

People who have visited the World's Fair at St. Louis find there many things from California to interest the general public and strangers from abroad and cause them to talk about the state when they return to their several homes. This is true of the evidences of art in this State as well as of the mineral, floral and faunal treasures.

Prominent in the art display is the artistic photography of J. J. Boyesen, who, through his camera, has captured the world Nature's greatest wonderland, Yosemite. Through Boyesen's marvelous camera-craft, the beauty and ever-changing features of the valley have been depicted in so perfect a manner as to inspire the loftiest feelings and emotions. Not less accurate and artistic are his pictures of life and Indian characters, which form a feature of great interest in the park.

A number of these have been copyrighted because of the exceeding interest centered in them, as also because of their rarity and the fidelity with which they have been produced by the master hand. Among these is the portrait of "The Indian Chief," which shows a human being on whom Nature had stamped all the characteristics of a leader—an aborigine over six feet in height, a grand head, strongly marked features, lighted eyes, dark piercing eyes, with lines of marvelous shape and beauty. The figure bears the bizarre trappings of the primitive life, which serve, however, but to add to the impressiveness of the character. Mr. Boyesen's work is eagerly sought by people from all parts of the world.

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Hints for the Ladies.

Velvet ribbon tabs are used with good effect.

Tucks of all widths are noted on new dresses.

The wheat pattern is conspicuous in the new laces.

Coarse laces trim the canvas fabrics to perfection.

Wrinkled ribbon festoons have an old-time flavor.

A job of contrasting velvet edges the neck of a smart gown.

Gaugings are recognized rivals of the much-favored shirrings.

Waterproof parasols available for rain or shine are the latest novelty.

Marabout stoles will serve as scarfs for evening wear this summer.

Dainty toques of peach color straw braid are draped with lace in corresponding tint.

Canvas galleons in Oriental patterns most effectively trim gowns of light weight wool fabrics.

Tucks five inches deep, one half way down the skirt and one at the hem, are another old fashion revived.

Paradise plumes are a feature of the new millinery and cherries hang temptingly from many a delightful headpiece.

The pongee frock generally needs a touch of color, as it is trying to the complexion. Red and shades of pink are much used with it, but green is to be the most popular.

Among the newest patterns in gold braid are shell and floral designs and the Greek key.

Studded elastic girdles are still shown in the shops and are said to be favored by many.

In the upholstering departments there is a loose-weaved material popular for summer curtains called estamine.

In one window is shown a hat of yellowish straw trimmed with fuchsias in the old purples and reds peculiar to that flower.

In the shops is displayed underwear made of the very lightest pink and blue baliste. White Valenciennes lace edgings and headings are used for trimmings.

There is a dainty pale green sunshade which is decorated with a hand-painted design of clusters of pale pink roses. The handle is white and the ribs are gilded.

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FOR THREATENING WIFE'S LIFE WAS PUT UNDER BONDS—MAY NOT RAISE AMOUNT.

Edward P. Johnson, who has on various occasions threatened the life of his former wife, Mrs. Jennie Johnson, a former telephone company, was held in bonds of \$1000 this morning by Judge Smith to keep the peace.

Johnson's actions toward his former wife were of such a character that he was once examined for insanity. He was discharged. The sentence pronounced by Judge Smith this morning virtually means that the prisoner will serve six months in jail, unless he raises the bond.

In view of the fact that he was unable to raise a \$400 bond, pending his examination, it is probable that he will have to remain in jail for the length of time.

GOOD STORIES FROM THE WEEKLIES.

Gossip About the Politicians in Both Parties—President Wheeler on Effective Living.

The more the political wiseacres discuss the conduct of Gavin McNab in the late Democratic convention at Santa Cruz, the deeper grows the mystery. There are a dozen explanations of his course extant—all logical, all reasonable, and all different. The rank and file of the Hearst supporters feel that he was bitterly anti-Hearst. The anti-Hearstites suspect that he was really for Hearst all the time—ready to deliver as many votes from the San Francisco delegation as were necessary to pass the resolutions to instruct for Hearst. Tarpey, Hearst's manager, is reported as saying that when McNab was East last winter he had a conference with Hearst, and pledged his support. McNab is reported as declaring he did nothing of the kind. James J. Barry says that "the Hearst forces won out only by the lavish and corrupt use of money." The political expert of the Oakland TRIBUNE stakes his reputation on the statement that "there was no boodle, but influence from all sorts of places." Those who think McNab was sincerely against Hearst explain it all by saying he simply couldn't hold his men together. Those who think McNab was really for Hearst all the time point to the fact that the delegates elected from the Fourth and Fifth districts, where McNab had "the say," were all strong Hearst men. Really, it is a very pretty mystery. On the assumption that McNab was really against Hearst, Tarpey is revealed as a political manager of conspicuous incapacity. Here were 168 delegates to be elected in San Francisco. They were sure to hold the balance of power. It is perfectly inconceivable that on a fight Hearst would have failed to get the great majority of the south of Market delegates. Yet Tarpey made no light. On the ballot for chairman, 160 out of 168 cast their votes against the Hearst candidate. On the other assumption, that McNab had secretly agreed to give Hearst as many votes as he needed at the crucial moment, it is difficult to see who expected to be the gainer by the compact. The closeness of the vote to instruct robs it of some of its moral weight so far as Hearst is concerned. McNab has apparently not strengthened his power as a boss, for he is reviled by both factions. The incident must be set down as one of the most curious and mysterious in the checkered history of California politics.—The Argonaut.

The campaign is already on. Riverside county has instructed its Republican nominee to the Assembly to support Senator Bard. If we may believe the Oakland TRIBUNE, however, the methods whereby the instructions were secured were not compatible with Senator Bard's protestations that he will not actively campaign for the nomination. Mr. Estadillo, the nominee, was understood to be an Oxnard supporter; he was approved by the Oxnard men; it was the understanding that nobody was to be indorsed; but, at the last moment, the committee, which had been packed for the purpose, sprung a Bard resolution, and it went through with the others before anybody had time to protest. Such, at least, is the story told by the TRIB-

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UNE. Possibly Senator Thomas R. Bard is a more astute politician than has been thought.—The Argonaut.

Though M. F. Tarpey is being credited with having led the Hearst forces to victory in Santa Cruz, I have learned on competent authority that if it had not been for the brilliant strategy and manoeuvring of James H. O'Brien of "The Cabinet," the anti-Hearstites would have completely routed the enemy. Mr. Tarpey has had considerable experience as a politician, but he ignores many of the vital principles of the game. He is too credulous, and neglects to safeguard himself against an ambush. On the eve of the convention he was completely at the mercy of the treacherous McNab. O'Brien was the blucher of the occasion. He came up with reinforcements in the nick of time. It was O'Brien who induced Jeter to draw the fire of the enemy, and if Jeter had not stood for chairman the strength of the McNabites would not have been revealed. It was O'Brien who broke the solidarity of the San Francisco delegation, who put Barrett into the convention and who compelled the reluctant Gould to recognize him. So impressed is Hearst with the skill of O'Brien as displayed at Santa Cruz that he has wired him to come East and handle a division in the St. Louis convention.—Town Talk.

The Jack London wit, like many other things pertaining to the Western writer, is Kiplingesque. Everybody can recall Kipling's retort to the editor of the Ladies Home Journal when that staid gentleman protested against a heroine partaking of such an unladylike beverage as brandy and soda. "Make it a glass of Mellin's Food," replied the creator of Mulvaney, cheerfully. I have just heard of a similarly amusing experience of Jack London. The editors of the Century were receiving the manuscript of his "Sea Wolf" in installments, when there came a chapter in which the hero and heroine were alone on a desert island, with the man in an exceedingly ardent mood. Great was the perturbation of the editors. The scene which would be risqué even in the hands of an author of the Duchess school, was almost too much for the clear bold strokes of London's virile pen. "What happens?" telegraphed the frightened editors. "Virtue triumphs," wired Mr. London.—Town Talk.

Senator Bard has come to town to look over his political fences, and he finds them in a very dilapidated condition. The toga having been presented to him, some years ago, he hopes that a combination of circumstances similar to those that favored him when he was not expecting high honors will arise again. Mr. Bard should wake up. Senatorships do not go begging. Though the mantle was draped across his shoulders without cost to himself there were others who had to make terms with Colonel Mazuma. They secured his election not because they loved him well but because their hatred for Colonel Burns was intense. Burns has ceased from troubling, and nobody is interested in attaching a lightning-rod to Mr. Bard's

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Then began a season of criminalization and recrimination among the Bourbon leaders. Gavin McNab called up Charlie Fay on the phone, and gave him a talk for about one minute that made the wire hiss. McNab is now considerably discredited as a leader. The Horses and Carts have received fresh courage, and look to Jim H. O'Brien to pull things together, complete the discomfiture of McNab, and run J. J. Barrett for mayor against Schmitt, who thinks he will be able to get the Republican nomination, and the next time that for Governor.—The Wasp.

President Wheeler says: "Effective living is largely a matter of will." This is a comfort. He, of course, would the illuminati eschew the labor which swells the muscles and provides more or less of the meat that perishes. Awaunt, work and fruitless toil. Summer is here, and the advice of the president should be taken, else why do we pay him? Let us sit under a tree and smoke the cigarette, just as the president does; let us speak the speech that is foolish, just as the president does, but above all, let us live effectively. Effectively, then, there's the rub. That word, like faith, is a regular concertina—it will stand any amount of pulling, though as far as living without work goes, a leg is a much better thing to pull. Who said that the president knows that? Perhaps the thought; lady patronesses have no legs. The president lives by his will, and who can deny that he lives effectively?—News Letter.

I am told that George Knight is to make a speech seconding the nomination of Roosevelt, and that Delmas was especially selected to perform the same office for Hearst, so California will be well up in the line of oratory. By the way, there is so no question as to whether Hearst shall pose as of New York or of California. It was originally proposed to have him hail from New York, but I understand that some of his advisors think that a bad plan, as the New York delegation is instructed for Parker, and Hearst would be put in the position of not having a vote from his own State. Now, however, that he has the California delegation in his pocket, it is thought it would be wiser to have his nomination come from his State, and in that case Delmas may be asked to make the nomination speech instead of the seconding. This, however, I understand, has not yet been definitely settled.—News Letter.

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BOND ELECTION NOT NEAR AT HAND.

CHANGES IN ORDINANCE IS THE CAUSE OF DELAY.

Owing to many changes suggested in ordinances relative to the proposed bond issue, City Attorney McElroy stated in response to a question from Mayor Olney yesterday at the meeting of the Board of Public Works, that the calling of the bond election would probably be delayed beyond the end of June. "Had it not been for the changes demanded by various councilmen and their constituents," said McElroy, "the bonds would certainly have been ready for submission before the end of June." The commissioners agreed that under the prevailing conditions it would be unwise to call the election before the summer months were over.

WILL REMOVE IRON. Henry M. McKenney of 416 Tenth-street, appeared before the board and protested against the Oakland Transit Company being allowed to use the streets as a storage place for its old iron and scraps resulting from the use of its cable system. Mr. McKenney said that certain of his building operations were delayed on this account. City Engineer Turner stated that the company had agreed to remove the iron on June 1.

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DIXIE SAILED FOR ISTHMUS.

PHILADELPHIA, May 28.—The auxiliary cruiser Dixie sailed from the navy yard today for Colon with stores and provisions. At Colon the vessel will take on 400 marines, who have been serving there for more than a year, and will return with them to League Island. After landing the marines there the vessel will go to the Brooklyn navy yard to await orders.

TIRED OF LIFE, SUICIDES.

Pietro Virenda, an Italian cook, committed suicide last Wednesday back of St. Mary's cemetery by shooting himself in the head with a pistol. No explanation for the act, save that he was tired of living, is given for the deed. From the circumstances surrounding the case it is made apparent that the deceased had contemplated taking his own life for several weeks. On Wednesday morning he wrote a letter in Italian to a cousin, Antonio Gaffardo, a shoe maker at Twenty-seventh and Grove streets, stating that he was tired of life and that he apologized to every one for the manner of his taking off. He was particularly to apply for the pardon of his mother in advance. He said that the burdens of living were greater than he cared to bear. When found today there was a pistol lying beside him and a hole through his head. He was 43 years of age and was unmarried.

FUGITIVE NOT SURRENDERED.

HONGKONG, May 28.—The Chinese warships, four gunboats and two torpedo boat destroyers, which arrived at Macao, the Portuguese settlement in Kwan Tung province, May 25, to support the demand of the Viceroy of Canton for the extradition of a fugitive from Chinese justice, have 3 first-class, 10 second-class and 100 third-class passengers. The five has not been surrendered.

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\$250—Owner having to leave the city, has constructed up to sell the following: Brand new cottage of 5 large rooms; reception hall, bathroom with very up-to-date fixtures; 2 toilets; gas and electric lighting; the tinting and mantels can be made to suit the taste of purchaser; this property is within easy walking distance of 14th and Broadway.

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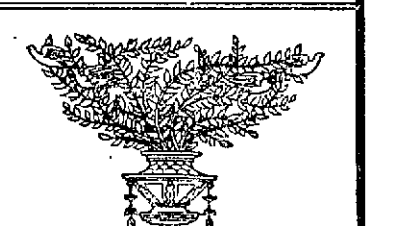
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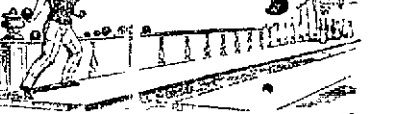
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We are being criticised across the bay—we are always coming in for criticism over there—for having our principal entertainments at such unfashionable times, and not knowing when the social season has ended. In fashionable society the post Lenten season lasts about a month and even then it is distinctly an aftermath, but in Oakland we invariably take a spurt in May and June and entertain hard all these months, thus stamping ourselves as suburban.

We cannot slip it off on the shoulders of our guests—the fascinating stranger who chances to be within our gates—for we do it every year and the tendency merely becomes more notable as time goes on. There are plenty of Oakland hostesses who never think of giving anything during the season's height, but as soon as summer comes they send out cards for a big reception.

It simply shows that we do not know "what's what."

Gowns and tempers are frayed at this time of year; people with summer homes have opened them; we have seen a great deal of each other at the various card clubs which are closing their seasons—sometimes a trifle too much—and I think it would be a deal pleasanter to postpone these large functions until the fall when we should all be glad to see each other again.

I do not suppose my feeble protest will do any good, but the summer months are certainly not the time for large hot teas, however much entertaining we may wish to do for visitors who are, of course, not always with us, and who are always an excuse.

MRS. HOWARD IN MARIN COUNTY.

Mrs. Emma Shafter Howard is spending the summer at her bungalow on the Marin County ranch and the Alice street home is being presided over by Mrs. Shafter Howard, who is a most gracious and graceful hostess. Mr. and Mrs. Shafter Howard have many friends among literary and musical as well as society people and their informal little Sunday afternoons when the charming garden is always open, are indeed delightful. They are a most attractive pair.

MANSFIELD'S GREAT SUCCESS.

Many society people have run into town for a few days just to enjoy Richard Mansfield, whose success was so phenomenal that, after the first week, there was nothing at all for sale in the house. Every house has been crowded and many of them have been distinctly fashionable. All have had a sprinkling of society folks. There have been, too, some very pretty and a great many light gowns worn. All of the plays have attracted attention and interest in them has been almost equally divided. The two which Mr. Mansfield considers least artistic were given for but one night each.

Public opinion seems to be divided between Beau Brummel and Ivan the Terrible as the two greatest performances of the star, though, Old Heidelberg is, perhaps, the prettiest performance as a whole, though it does not give Mansfield the opportunity that the other plays do. There was such a



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MISS ROSE STRACH

great demand for another performance of Ivan the Terrible that the play was made the bill for the last night of the season, which is tonight. Instead of the mixed bill of acts from various plays, which would have been very attractive, and, also, very exacting. Mansfield himself is delighted with his reception. Nine years ago he played to almost empty benches at the Baldwin, while Fawley was crowding the Columbia, and it took his pride some years to get over the mortification. But San Francisco's reception this time has completely wiped away unpleasant memories and we shall probably find ourselves on Mr. Mansfield's list every year now or on alternating years at the worst. Maude Adams has also discovered that we are on the map and will give her first performance here in many, many years next week. She will be at the Columbia for a fortnight in one play, "The Little Minister." I had much amusement the other day in reading the coy statement sent out by her press agent that the reason Miss Adams had not been here before was on account of her delicate health, which prevented her from crossing the continent. The real reason was that we refused to patronize some of the cheap syndicate shows, with the result that the syndicate cut us off the list and sent us nothing decent for years and years, until the present awful season struck the East and then, as we were more than generous with Ben Hur and Webster and Field, several large attractions were hurried out to us. Miss Adams' delicate health, indeed! The health did not prevent her from playing several most exacting seasons of one-night stands in the East, than which there is nothing more tiring. "The Little Minister" was Miss Adams' first success as a star and the character of Lady Babie should be eminently suited to her.

BOHEMIANS ENTERTAIN MANSFIELD.
To return to Mr. Mansfield. Monday evening, after the performance, he was given a supper by the Bohemian Club, at which about sixty representative club men were present. It was a delightful affair with some most excellent speeches, not the least interesting of which were the two which Mr. Mansfield himself made. The first one was rather conventional, which was a disappointment, as Mansfield has the reputation of talking well after the third act. At the supper he seemed rather constrained and shy. But, later, when Dr. J. Dennis Arnold, commenting on the fact that he had had two curiosities in regard to Mansfield—one of which was to see how he looked, which had just been gratified—said that he had still another curiosity, and that was to know how a man with but one nose and mouth and one pair of eyes could be such a different being every night, now old, now young, now good, now evil. He then asked Mansfield to tell the company something of how he studied his roles and achieved his marvelous artistic results.

In response to this invitation Mansfield rose again and said that each man carries deep in his heart some love. People know about it but forbear to speak about it, and he never talks about it. Such a love, said Mansfield, is the actor's love for his art. It was all very pretty and a bit pathetic, but though he did not tell how he makes the studies for his wondrous roles, Mansfield went on to speak of the value of imagination to the stage and the gradual disappearance of this most important and rare element.

He said that the stage was becoming barren of imagination, both as to actors and playwrights, and this, he said, was due to the fact that most people go to the theatre nowadays merely to be amused, not to be made to think. He protested against this tendency and I am glad that he did it at that particular place, for men are by far the worst offenders in this regard. They are the ones who flout the "problem" play and it is their taste for mere

amusement which is degrading the stage and killing off the playwright, which we all so deplore. The club men seemed greatly interested in what Mansfield said. Fred Hull presided.

MISS CONQUEST ENTERTAINED.

Miss Ida Conquest, Mr. Mansfield's young and charming leading lady, has been very busy with rehearsals since her arrival here and unable to accept any hospitality, but on Wednesday afternoon she stole away for a few hours and was at Miss Frances Jolliffe's Pacific Avenue home, where she met half a dozen interesting women who had been summoned by telephone to meet her. Miss Conquest has been here frequently since she was here with William Gillette in Sherlock Holmes and has many friends in San Francisco, who delight in this natural, unspoiled girl.

A DISTINGUISHED GUEST.

Another well-known New Yorker who has been visiting San Francisco is Miss Wynn D. S. Coman, formerly a Californian and a Stanford girl, but now one of the readers for Munsey's magazine in New York. Miss Coman made a hurried Western visit, dividing her time between her parents and brother, Mr. Wilbur Coman, who is a prominent railroad man in Portland, and her sister, Mrs. Robert Yates, who is a resident of San Francisco. She

was in San Francisco for such a brief time that but two entertainments were given in her honor, and the other small things which had been planned had to be given up for lack of time.

THE LAYMANCE PICNIC.

Monday being Decoration Day, three holidays coming together, many week-end house parties are being formed. It is really a delicious time of the year in the country.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Layman gave a large and very delightful picnic at Lake San Leandro, which used to be called Lake Chabot. The thirty guests went to San Leandro by electric car, here a large omnibus met them and carried them to the lake. A delicious luncheon had been prepared and there were walks about the lake, which is very beautiful just now, and trips in the launch. It was a delightfully unique affair.

DINNER TO WILL IRWIN.

The Bohemian Club gave a farewell dinner to Will Irwin Tuesday night of this week. Mr. Irwin leaves for New York on the first of June to engage in newspaper and literary work there and though he has belonged to the Bohemian club but a couple of years, he has been so generous with his time and talents that he is a very popular member and the large number of men who assembled was a great tribute to his



MISS GERTRUDE BAIER
BELLE-OUDEY PHOTO

popularity. The occasion was very informal, but some of the prettiest decorations the Red Room has ever seen graced it. Porter Garnett, who got up the dinner, presided, and there were a number of clever speeches and much singing of college songs. The Stanford men were much in evidence, though scarcely more so than the U. C. boys, for Will Irwin was one of the most popular men who was ever graduated from Stanford. He was so full of college spirit and gay spirit of every kind that there was a rift or two with the faculty before he finally received his diploma, but the memory of those school-boy pranks soon evaporates.

OFF FOR EUROPE.

Mrs. M. H. de Young and her two elder daughters have sailed for Europe and will not return to San Francisco until fall. The trip is largely to see the dressmakers, as both the elder de Young girls are out and very popular. Mr. de Young remained in New York and will spend some time at St. Louis, as will Mrs. de Young on her return, she being one of the lady managers.

MISS MARSH'S ENGAGEMENT.

Oakland society is considerably interested in the engagement of Miss Elsie Marsh announced this week. Her fiancé is Mr. M. M. Moran, a young lawyer. Miss Marsh is the third daughter of Mrs. Marsh, and a younger sister of Mrs. Charles S. Wheeler, who was Miss Lillie Marsh before her marriage. The Marshes lived in Oakland for a

number of years, and the Wheelers were married at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. Nicholson, Eighth and Grove streets, the Nicholsons having been old family friends. The newly engaged girl is quite pretty, though not as pretty as Mrs. Wheeler was as a girl. She is very sweet and amiable and is receiving many good wishes. She has made her home for several years with Mrs. Wheeler and will be married there.

WILL GIVE A CHERRY FETE.

There will be a large time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Borden at Hayward on the afternoon of June 4. At that time there will be a "Cherry Fete" for the benefit of Trinity Episcopal Mission fund. Mrs. Will Meek and a number of prominent society people are going to make the affair a large success.

CLUBS CLOSING FOR SEASON.

The various clubs of all kinds are closing for the season, and boards of directors are having busy meetings planning for next season, for all the work must be outlined far in advance. The hostesses at Eboli are always notified during the summer months, and a general outline of the season's work made out.

The Tuesday afternoon at Eboli was a great success last week, and that reminds me that very few of the Lakeside contingent have been represented at the large Eboli receptions this winter. And for the main reason that the entire Lakeside district has Tuesday for the day at home, and nearly every household keeps it most religiously.

They are always ready for guests on Tuesday, tea is always served, and it represents in most homes a regular reception day. But it has hardly been satisfactory this past season. Eboli has missed the Lakeside contingent, and they really are a bright lot of people. And the Lakeside set has missed many things in Eboli which they might greatly have enjoyed.

The only family in that neighborhood which does not keep Tuesday is that of R. G. Browns. The Browns have always had Wednesday and their at homes are among the most largely attended of the entire neighborhood.

The Eboli membership has counted for so little on account of this day at home, that a re-adjustment before next season seems in order.

The Eboli Club claims every Tuesday—there is the Tuesday luncheon, and the reception the last Tuesday in each month, with always something on the other Tuesdays. And to make the situation worse, nothing ever takes place early in the afternoon. So you cannot make any dates for after a program.

The Eboli directors are hoping that next season its members will not choose Tuesdays as a day at home. They hope that the Eboli club may have the exclusive right to that day.

The program on Tuesday was much above the average. One had Shakespeare and Browning, for the dignified, heavy work, and Dickens and Tennyson for the lighter touches. It was in sharp contrast to many of the programs this year.

There was one recently which included "a little wee doggie and a little baa lamb"—which was received with much enjoyment by a little six year old maid, whose mother had brought her for the afternoon. But I can't say much for the appreciation of the older guests.

But Tuesday afternoon the program was on the level you would expect from a representative, conservative club, and Mrs. Southwick's work was really fine, especially the death scene from Romeo and Juliet. Tea was served at the end of the

gram, and there was a most enjoyable and very informal reception.

ARTISTIC GOWNS WERE WORN.

Among the attractive gowns of the afternoon were those of Mrs. E. A. Cuelgel, Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. Chas. Sutton, Mrs. James Johnson, Miss Sutton, Mrs. J. Walter Scott, Mrs. Willard Williamson, Mrs. J. R. Scupham, Miss Connors, Mrs. Ralph Kinney, Mrs. Benton, Miss Benton, Mrs. Childs, Mrs. M. C. Chapman, Mrs. Franklin Bangs, Mrs. Wallace Everson, Mrs. C. W. Ames, Miss Mary Alexander, Dr. Vida Redington, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Allen Babcock, Miss Lottie Allardt, Miss Craig, Mrs. E. J. Cotton, Miss Crellin, Mrs. William R. Davis, Mrs. Gorrill, Mrs. E. A. Heron, Mrs. C. S. Houghton, Mrs. M. W. Kales, Mrs. Henry Rosenfeld, Miss Nicholson, Mrs. Walter Matthews, Mrs. Frank B. Ogden, Miss Ruthford, Mrs. von der Ropp, Mrs. E. B. Sanborn, Mrs. Sharon.

WILL VOTE ON EBELL SITE.

At the close of the Ebell "at home" on Tuesday, Mrs. Kinsey, the President, reminded the members that next week they would have to vote again on the Ebell site. She requested the members to personally examine the different sites so that there might be an intelligent expression of opinion.

She can be sure of one thing, there is a great deal of "expression of opinion"—intelligent and otherwise, and a great deal of wire-pulling is going on. It has grown a trifle tiresome to the more conservative element of the club. There are a few who would like to turn the whole matter over to a committee, and to "abide by the decision."

But that is just the point. Club women never will "abide by the decision"—there always has to be "a last word," and it is about "the last word" that much of the antagonism settles.

However, the leaders in Ebell hope for a large vote, so large that it may be a final expression of opinion, for things will not run smoothly at the Ebell club until this matter of the future site is definitely settled.

GOINGS AT THE HOME CLUB.

The Home Club has held its last meeting, and the vacation holidays are on. It has struggled bravely with the "constitution" all this winter, and at the end of the season its president, Miss Ethel Moore, reports progress.

But what a nation we are for amusement, and of the vaudeville order, too. We just sit calmly back, and say if you can't amuse us we won't go. The Home Club was for "the betterment of homes," but already its directors have found out that the good club woman, even though she is quite willing to take better her neighbors' homes, just be amused while she is about it, and so there was "informal comedy," "high-class vaudeville" as a general kind up of the season.

Miss Mary Barker and Mr. Bernard Miller gave a sketch, "A Pair of Lunatics," you would really think they were real things in lunatics. Mary Barker is really great fun in amateur theatricals.

Once at Castle Craig she astonished everybody. She was the bad little monkey girl at school, and her mother asped in astonishment as she saw her one in—her face blackened, and her hair a wilderness of tiny braids, tied up with red worsteds.

"A Pair of Lunatics" was given once at an informal entertainment in the arker drawing room.

Mrs. Allen Babcock and Dr. Harry Carleton gave that clever sketch they gave once upon a time at Ebell. Mrs. Babcock gives the monologue, so popular now—she scolds her husband like mad, so Dr. Carleton had very little to do but to take the scolding and look wise—both of which he managed to do immensely well. It was a good vaudeville show, and after all a little play in the midst of the day's work is good for everybody. And so ended the episodes of the first season of the Home Club.

OAKLAND CLUB TO HAVE NEW HOME.

The Oakland Club moves into Maple Hall on June 1st, and the lower floor that very attractive hall will be devoted to its interests. Its resident has been ill, and Mrs. C. S. Chamberlain has been the leading spirit in planning this important move of the club.

She says the club is ready now to fill a broader sphere. Luncheons will be served after the manner of the Ebell club, and important lines of work are being planned.

The subject of keeping the schools open in vacation is to be extensively discussed in all the women's clubs this coming year. Other cities are leading the way. New York has a roof garden on many of its school houses, and most of the leading cities establish vacation houses in most of the school houses. It is a great waste to let all public buildings lie idle for many weeks of each year. A change of activities is what the children need, and it is what they get in other cities. Of course, if they go away to the country, the difficulty is solved, but you have to plan for the large mass at home.

An interesting group of mothers at Ebell the other day were discussing the vacation, and they were not looking forward with any degree of equanimity to the vacation holidays.

"It's all very well about the girls,"



MISS M. ERWIN.

(Photo by Arnold Genthe, S. F.)

Miss Erwin is a prominent Berkeley girl. She will marry Lieutenant James G. Taylor next Wednesday evening. It will be a large military wedding.

said one mother, "you can keep them safe and busy at home; but you can't shut up the boys, and I worry all the vacation long when they are on the streets."

So it is a good thing that the discussion is to come this winter. Perhaps by next summer, the boys can have shops, learn wood-carving, basket weaving, anything they please, and there may be play grounds, properly equipped, where the children may pass safe and happy summer hours.

WOMEN WHO HAVE REALLY DONE THINGS.

But it is the women of the Hillside club of Berkeley who have really done things. They haven't as much to say as some other clubs I could mention but they achieve results.

The other day they politely but firmly requested the Board of Education to raise the salaries of the teachers, and being women of influence, the request was granted. Among the members of the Hillside club are Mrs. John Galen Howard, Mrs. Frank M. Wilson, Mrs. William Munro, and Mrs. Benjamin Ide Wheeler.

The Hillside Club includes the region around the Wheeler residence, those hillside that are developing such artistic and picturesque homes.

DISCUSSION ABOUT TEACHERS' SALARIES.

Incidentally the discussion about the teachers' salaries was worth listening to.

One little matron recently from the East remarked in passing: "We don't want our teachers to work for Chinamen's wages. And the others promptly started at her, and one prominent matron found her voice.

"Chinamen's wages, indeed!" she echoed. "When you're in California for awhile, you'll find they don't get anything like it." Then she rose to her subject:

"Why, I pay my Chinese cook fifty dollars a month, and yesterday he applied for the modest sum of thirty-five dollars a month. And they have almost no expense and live on the fat of the land—and you can take them or leave them, and no thanks to you either way." And by the sign she gave when she finished, you know her special kitchen had been the scene of a battle many a time and oft.

"I don't wonder the apartment system, with a cafe down stairs, is getting so popular," said a member.

"Yes, but there are the children," said the worried little mother.

"Well, the whole thing is up to somebody somewhere," said a bright little woman. "I wish I could talk to the United States Senate about the immigration laws—their relation to the kitchen."

And many of us echo the wish of the bright little woman of the Hillside club.

Now is the season, also, for the meeting of the ladies who preside over the destinies of the dancing clubs.

MRS. SALISBURY HAS BEEN ILL.

Mrs. Salisbury has been so very ill all the winter that it is not likely she can take any interest in social affairs this coming year. Everyone is sorry for that, for Mrs. Salisbury is very good to her young girl friends. She has never outgrown the romance which makes youth charming, and a love affair is dear to her heart. Many a girl in San Francisco owes her happy home to the kind efforts of Mrs. Salisbury. She is a born match-maker, and always ready to help an affair along with

infinite tact and discernment. And an older woman with social prestige, can do a great deal for a younger girl.

So Mrs. Salisbury will be greatly missed this coming season.

Many of our young girls are always included in the Greenway Hsts, among them the Misses Grace and Laura Sanborn; Miss Gertrude Allen, Miss Viva Nicholson, Miss Bessie Palmer, Miss Ethel Valentine. "La Jeunesse" is the most exclusive dancing club across the bay.

FRIDAY NIGHT AND MAPLE CLUBS.

The patronesses of the Friday Night and the Maple Club are having meetings, and invitations will be sent out later in the year, probably in August. Some of the Maple Club girls will be on the Friday Night list this year, being older.

It was rumored that the two clubs would be formed into one this year, because many of the original Friday Night girls are now married, and have taken their places among the young matrons of the city. But there seems to be opposition from the members of both clubs. The Maple Club includes the very young girls who are not out, and whose mothers would object to their going to a party which included girls who have been out for several seasons. The effort will be made to keep the Maple Club for the very young girls from seventeen to nineteen, and the Friday Night Club will include girls from twenty up—but of course, at that end of the line there is not any limit.

And, after all, it makes a great difference who the special girl is whose age one is considering. At any given age, some girls are much younger than others, and so it goes.

Some society leaders will tell you that a club can only last about four years. The girls marry off, some go abroad, others move away; the personnel of the club is so changed that a new club is inevitable.

Among the patronesses who are taking an active interest in both dancing classes are Mrs. Charles Houghton, Mrs. M. W. Kales, Mrs. W. S. Goodfellow, Mrs. A. A. Moore, Mrs. Edward Walsh, Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. Q. A. Chaso, Mrs. D. H. Mathes, Mrs. Hall, and Mrs. Sims of Berkeley, Mrs. W. H. Chickering. They are anxious that all who ought to be invited should be included in the lists sent out, but, of course, it is quite impossible for a list to be perfect. It is really up to the mother to see that her daughter's name is included, if she wishes her to be present at the club parties this winter.

And the patronesses would be very glad indeed to invite the many young men who would be desirable additions to the dancing set. Young men come home from college, or there are new comers in the city whose names ought to be sent to anyone of the patronesses.

MISS PERKINS' PRETTY DINNER.

The dinners of the week have been very interesting. The largest was given by Miss Pansy Perkins, who entertained twenty guests on Wednesday evening at the family home, Palm Knoll.

Miss Perkins is planning many entertainments in an informal way for her young friends before she goes back to Washington in September. The decorations the other evening were very beautiful, showing an elaborate arrangement of gorgeous roses. After the dinner, the young people were joined by Mrs. Perkins and by Mr. and Mrs. George E. Perkins. The latter is

a very delightful chaperon. On a few occasions, for her bright young sister-in-law.

Senator Perkins intended to be present in the evening to entertain his daughter's guests, but he was obliged to be at the large banquet given by the Board of Trade.

Miss Pansy Perkins wore a very beautiful gown, one of her Washington gowns, brought originally from Paris.

A very pretty gown in pink Dresden silk and pink chiffon, was worn by Miss Katherine Brown.

MISS BAKEWELL ENTERTAINS.

Miss Hallie Bakewell entertained informally last week in honor of the engagement of her brother, Doctor Benjamin Bakewell and Miss Bertha McElrath.

Only intimate friends of the young people were at the dinner, and it was informal and very enjoyable.

MRS. HAVENS' UNIQUE DINNER DECORATIONS.

Mrs. Frank C. Havens enjoys greatly entertaining her friends at dinner. The Havens have made of their place at Piedmont, a picturesque country home. It is full of charming effects. Mrs. Havens always plans most original decorations for her dinners. At a recent one the center piece was a perfect representation of a yacht. It was all in flowers, and rested on a looking-glass, and sent back the pretty reflection as a real lake might have done. Mrs. Havens is to entertain the members of the Piedmont Whist Club at dinner in the near future, and the Havens are planning to leave for their country home in the East in June.

MANY VISITORS FOR YOSEMITE.

The Yosemite Valley will have many visitors from Oakland this season. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stolp will chaperon one of the first parties to leave for the famous valley. The party will include Miss Lucretia Burnham and Miss Myrtle Sims of Berkeley.

Mrs. John R. Farrell and Miss Irene Farrell will leave for the Yosemite valley next Sunday morning. The Farrells are planning to go abroad again to join Mr. Farrell in England in November. The latter is the engineer in charge of the famous King Solomon's mine in South Africa.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lettis Oliver, with the Misses Oliver, Mr. Rogers, and the Misses Rogers leave early next week for the Yosemite Valley. Mr. Rogers and his sisters are from Scotland, and they have been guests at the Oliver home on Vernon Heights.

The Rogers go East by way of the St. Louis Exposition.

TWO TEAS ARE PLANNED.

The two large teas of the near future are to be given at the Vance and Parcells homes, which adjoin each other on Webster street. The Vances came from Humboldt county, and bought the Oriskany residence, in which they have entertained extensively. Mrs. Vance has sent out a large number of invitations, and the "at home" is in honor of guests who are visiting her.

Mrs. Parcells' large reception is in honor of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Frank Parcells, formerly Miss Sireve of Alameda.

The Frank Parcells are making their home at the family residence on Webster street. The reception will be one of the largest affairs of the year, as the Parcells' visiting list is a long one.

Mrs. Parcells has asked a large, receiving party to assist her from this side of the bay, and in the receiving party will be Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain, formerly Miss Hattie Kimble.

Miss Elsie Kimble would be included in the receiving party, but she is still in Denver, and is not to return to this coast for some weeks.

The Parcells reception will be the last large reception of the season, and it promises to be a very elaborate affair.

CHANGES ON THE HILL.

There are many changes on what has come to be known as "The Hill." It is really the Linda Vista district.

The John Brittons have gone across the bay, and it is not likely they will return to Oakland. Their home at Linda Vista was taken this week by Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Parcells and the latter are now comfortably established in it.

The residence that was built for the Van Brittons has been taken by Mr. and Mrs. George Hammer, and if they like living on the hill, they will make their permanent home there.

The Willard Williamsons have the residence formerly occupied by the George Immons, and the Flints have closed their home at Linda Vista and will reside permanently in Southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gilcrest will reside hereafter in Southern Oregon, where Mr. Gilcrest's business interests are, and the Gilcrest home is now for sale.

Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Boyes have given up their residence on Jackson's reef, and they are established in the home at Linda Vista, which they recently purchased.

LARGE HOME ON LINDA VISTA.

One of the largest homes in all the



MISS ELLA WIGHT.

(Photo by Arnold Genthe, S. F.)

Miss Ella Wight, one of the charming and popular girls of the younger set, left Thursday of this week for Los Angeles to be bridesmaid for Miss Mayme Hendrich, whose marriage to Moye Stevens will take place shortly in the southern city. Miss Wight will be the guest of Mrs. Warren Gillelen, and later will spend some time with Judge and Mrs. Hendrich at their Santa Monica home. In July she will spend a short time at Catalina Island and will return in August from her trip.

Miss Leslie Wight has also formed definite plans for the summer and will go to Berlin in September to continue her musical study. Miss Leslie will visit her uncle, James Wilder, in Paris, during the holidays and a pleasant winter is assured this talented girl.

Linda Vista district is that of Mrs. Soule and Miss Bacon. It represents a fine architectural scheme, and the inside finish carries out some exceedingly fine designs. Mrs. Soule and her sister expect to entertain this winter in their new home. Many of their friends remember the old time hospitality of the Bacon home on Oak street, when the whole neighborhood used to be entertained at elaborate receptions.

It was a beautiful home, full of rare books, fine paintings and lovely statuary. The new home is on much the same lines, though, of course, much of the brick-abc was destroyed in the fire which burned the Bacon Block.

Mrs. Soule and her sister have great artistic perception, having traveled extensively abroad, and one hears that the new home at Linda Vista expresses refined culture and is really one of the fine homes of the city.

STONES TO GO TO COUNTRY.

Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Stone and their children will go to Rowardennan for the summer. They have tried many places but they always prefer Rowardennan. The Farrells will join them at Rowardennan later in the season. The Stones have picnics and barbecues at the country place at Elmhurst, but they prefer to wander further afield for the summer vacation days.

MISS SANBORN TO MAKE TRIP.

Late in August Miss Grace Sanborn will go to Southern Colorado, where she will be the guest of relatives. Colorado is lovely in the late summer time, and the people are so hospitable that one always has a good time among them. After you have been in the East awhile, you learn to thoroughly appreciate Western hospitality.

Miss Laura Sanborn is going to Mendocino county, and she expects to be away a month.

WILL SOJOURN AT BLITHEDALE.

Many Oakland people are to go to Blithedale this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Allen are spending a month there, and later, they expect to go to the St. Louis Exposition.

Mrs. Allen is better than she has been for years, to the very great joy of her family and friends.

Across the creek from the hotel at Blithedale, is the pretty little country home of the Costigans, "Beljim Lodge." Mrs. Costigan has with her all summer, her daughter and the latter's children, and there are also many guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Houghton and Miss Ruth Houghton will go to Blithedale for the vacation days.

Mr. Shirley Houghton is a guest at the Gallegos country home near Mission San Jose. Later he will go to the Sierras, returning to college work in August.

WILL GO TO THE SIERRAS.

In order to truly enjoy the Sierras one must go late in the year. It is much too cold in the spring and early summer months. The Willard Williamsons and the Fred Magees go to Tahoe each year. The Bowles have a pretty cottage on Independence Lake. This year Mrs. Edwin Morrison, Miss Charlotte Morrison, and Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Smith make up a party which will

after the yacht, and went herself afloat till she could be rescued.

The Eastern women were almost in apasms, but Miss Jacqueline took it quite as if it might have been in the ordinary day's work.

LYNCHS HAVE GONE HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hampton Lynch started East last Sunday morning, and they will take the children to the seaside for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harden Crawford have left New York for their beautiful summer home at Seabright. It is a very elaborate home, perfectly planned, and they expect to spend many months each year there. Miss Margaret Sinclair may go East to visit her cousin this summer.

CLAYS ARE AT BLITHEDALE.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Clay are at Blithedale, and so are Mr. and Mrs. William Gardner Cooke. The Clays will come to their own home in San Francisco before many days, and the Cookes will spend the summer in Blithedale.

H. M. A. MILLER GOES SOUTH.

H. M. A. Miller has gone to Lower California on a business trip, where he has large interests, from which I hear he is beginning to receive profitable returns. He is interested in a concern which utilizes the maguey plant for cordage and bagging, with every prospect of paying dividends. The greater part of Lower California is barren and uninviting, but it was in that long, finger-like peninsula that the late Joseph P. Hale amassed a healthy fortune, with nothing to start on but a clear conscience and a healthy appetite. He found that orchilla, a sort of air plant, had a commercial value for dying purposes, and he forthwith got a concession from the Mexican government to exploit the industry. As land is no object down that way he was granted a strip along the Pacific Coast several hundred miles long, and going back twelve leagues. Of course, when the aniline dyes came to the fore the orchilla project went into the air, but Hale had made enough to live leisurely and secure the fifth son of the Earl of Cork as his daughter's husband, and leave a snug fortune besides. I hope H. M. A. Miller does half as well with the maguey plant, both on account of himself and his wife, who is one of the most lovable women in society.—Wasp.

IT WAS A HAPPY WEDDING.

Charming Maud Wilkins was married to Lloyd Scott Fraser on Thursday evening at the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church in East Oakland, the Rev. Hugh W. Fraser, father of the groom, officiating. The bride was beautifully gowned in the customary white chiffon with embellishments of pearls and lace. It was intended that this wedding should have been one of the affairs of the early winter, but Papa Fraser objected to his son's marriage with the alderman's daughter, saying that the couple had nothing but love with which to begin housekeeping. In vain the young people argued to win the approval of the stern Scotch preacher, and they had about made up their minds to elope. It is said that Mr. Fraser heard of the planned wedding in some quiet spot across the bay, and that he called his son to him and asked what truth there was in the rumor that had reached his ears. "We are going to be married—that is sure," said young Fraser, determinedly. "Very well," responded the parson, "then you would do well to see Miss Maud and her father, and arrange a proper wedding in the church. I'll perform the ceremony, myself. No one shall say that I drove my own flesh and blood to San Rafael or any other Gretna Green." And so things were arranged in haste, and the two were wed. And they will not do badly in this world's goods either, for I understand that Mr. Wilkins has provided handsomely in the matter of a cottage home for his dark-eyed, beautiful daughter, and everything seems to be turning out as well as though they had waited fifty years.—Town Talk.

OAKLANDERS GO TO LOS GATOS.

A perfect colony of Oaklanders settle in Los Gatos each year. It is so near that the men have not a long, hard trip to take each Saturday night, though they do not dread that here so much as they do the early Monday morning trip.

The Kittredges, since they have sold their home here, will spend a great deal of their time at Los Gatos, for their country home is just a little way out of the town.

The Chickering's have a bungalow at Los Gatos, and on a hillside is the pretty country home of the O. S. Orricks—it has a very picturesque name, "Vista del Valle." "Orchard Olivas," the Craig home, is just outside the town, and the William Wilsons go to Los Gatos early and stay there late.

All the way from Los Gatos to Santa Cruz there are delightful little country homes belonging to Oakland people, and at each home there are the week-end guests making up a delightful party.

In the mountains are the homes of Horace Hussey, Edgar Bishop, Arthur Breed, Judge Hall, E. A. Heron, and a number of others.

FAMILY REUNION AT OLD MISSION.

The Metcalfs always have a family reunion at Mission San Jose, where they entertain the Nicholson's each year. It is true there is not any place specially to go near Mission San Jose, but then, nobody specially wants to go anywhere. It is quite enough to be calm, and peaceful, and tranquil in the lovely climate.

Near by is the A. A. Moore ranch, where are always to be found some members of the family. There is the most delightful bathing pool on the ranch, and here it was that Jacqueline Moore, now Mrs. John Valentine, learned to swim so well.

She fell into the Atlantic ocean from a yacht that was simply flying before the wind, but she bravely struck out

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FOR the benefit of the 800,000 sufferers from consumption in this country a crucial, scientific newspaper test was made of the Professor Hoff Cure in Vienna.

Frederick Hammann was selected from all the consumptives in New York by the New York Journal, sent to Vienna and cured.

SO THAT EVERY INDIVIDUAL SUFFERER FROM CONSUMPTION MAY HAVE THE FULLEST BENEFIT OF THE TEST MADE IT IS PROPOSED TO PLACE THE SAME MEDICINE THAT CURED FREDERICK HAMMANN IN HIS HANDS WITHOUT CHARGE.

It remains only for the relatives and acquaintances of these sufferers to interest themselves to a small degree—to fill out the coupon printed on this page—that the medicine may be sent them.

This offer will undoubtedly lead to thousands of cures among sufferers who might otherwise run the whole course of the wasting disease to a fatal termination.

In no other way can the full measure of good hoped for be accomplished. None are so blind as those who will not see. Many will never know of the great boon afforded by the Professor Hoff Cure unless it is brought to their attention in this way.

It is safe to say that there is no subject in which the general public has a greater and more abiding interest than that bearing on the cure of consumption.

No malady is more prevalent and none has been more fatal in its ultimate tendencies.

There is scarcely a family which has not lost one or more of its members to its direful and relentless ravages. Few there are who have not at the present moment some friend or acquaintance suffering from weak lungs, asthma, pleurisy or bronchial affections, which, unless arrested, will terminate in consumption.

In bringing Professor Hoff's remedy to the sufferer you are aiding in humanity's battle against consumption systematized as it never has been before.

In the beginning of the tuberculosis tendency to recover is so great that the slightest aid to Nature may turn the tide toward recovery.

The large death rate in consumption he says must be ascribed in great measure to procrastination and the willing belief of the patient that he has some other disease. This belief, when there is the slightest doubt, should not be encouraged.

Though it requires considerable moral courage to say "This is consumption and now is the time to take precaution that position should be taken."

Where there has been a severe cold that hangs on followed by a feeling of weakness nearly akin to that of malaria or where there has been pneumonia followed by a cough or chronic bronchitis or asthma it is well to begin the treatment, for there is a direct relationship between all these diseases and they merge so easily and rapidly into active consumption that people are taken unawares.

Hundreds of cases like the following have shown the wisdom of nipping the disease in the bud.

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Dear Sirs—I enclosed one dollar for another bottle of Hoff's Cure. I have taken two bottles and I find it hard to breathe. I feel better and my cough is less. I am taking it every day.

Yours truly, DANIEL COOK M D 108 East 25th St. New York

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No. He puts his knowledge into practice and does his best to relieve existing symptoms. That is exactly what the Professor Hoff Cure for Consumption does. It increases the metabolism of the blood, and the weight and strength naturally increases. It relieves existing symptoms while it is striking at the root of the disease.

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Several consumption patients who have been under my treatment during the past year are showing the results of the cure. I am taking it every day.

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MAKES A STATEMENT.

Microbes Cannot Be Killed By Manifestoes—Proper Medication is Positively Necessary.

I have read much of late about the fresh-air treatment and I fear that some may think that with this fresh air no medication is necessary. Sufferers from consumption must above all else be economical of their time. They have none to waste. A prompt diagnosis, at the expense of pride and all else is most necessary. Then the shortest and surest way to cure must be selected. Not one element that will expedite that cure must be neglected.

And I say from the experience of one who has walked on the verge of the precipice that medication is just as necessary as the fresh air. I am assured that the action of the great American newspaper in sending me abroad is now leading to 10,000 cures a year—and I am indebted to it. But I would feel happier still if the number were ten times as great.

My own cure has been repeated so many times that it is now only a type. What most pleases me is that a great majority of these cures are being effected through the action of the American Bureau of the Professor Hoff Cure at the homes of the patients. It was to this end that the

efforts of Professor Hoff were first directed. His motive in studying consumption was not to relieve a favored few. It was to bring relief to the afflicted ones among the poor and the middle class—that public which is the bone and sinew of the world—from which all countries draw their strength, which must not be sapped by this terrible disease.

It seems difficult to deal with 800,000 cases of consumption—the number that I am told exists to-day in America. As a movement to prevent consumption the matter must be left to authorities who deal with sanitation. But as a matter of the deepest humanity the cure of the individuals of this tremendous army concerns me.

Professor Hoff's desire is being carried out by the American Bureau in supplying the medicine and important hygienic directions so that even the poorest may obtain them. I keep up my correspondence with Professor Hoff and am glad to report to him the splendid work being done by the American Bureau on this side of the water.

FREDERICK HAMMANN

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FIRE COMMISSIONERS WEARY OF POLITICAL PULL.

Turn Over to Fire Chief Ball Appointments to Be Made for New Engine Company.

The Police and Fire Commissioners have grown weary of the exercise of "pull" by various individuals and their friends in securing appointments in the fire department. The new engine house on Santa Clara avenue is to be manned by a new force of men and many applicants for positions have appeared. Let us refer the whole matter to Fire Chief Ball said Mayor Olin recently. That is a happy thought said City Attorney Michlov. The wisest solution said City Engineer Turner. Secretary Walter Whitely was directed to turn all the names over to Fire Chief Ball and let him wrestle with the thing sometimes known as political influence but more commonly designated as "pull."

BOXING PERMITS.

The commissioners granted the Reliance Athletic Club permission to hold a boxing contest on June 6. The West Oakland Club was granted permission to hold a boxing exhibition on May 31. In both cases Mayor Olin voted against granting the permits. John J. Haggerty of Truck No. 2 of the fire department was granted six

THEY WILL TAKE PART IN PARADE.

The following citizens will appear mounted as aides to the grand marshal in the Oakland parade with Company A Veteran reserves N. G. C. and Appomattox Post G. A. R. Memorial Day, Monday next.

C. B. White, P. J. Keller, Dr. E. H. Woolsey, Dr. Carpenter, Dr. W. J. Smythe, Dan J. Hallahan, A. D. McKenna, Councilman R. C. Alken, Dr. J. Maher, Capt. D. Crowley, J. W. Matthews, Howard W. Havens, Wick E. Evans, A. P. Smiley, H. L. Ransom, J. McCarthy, Councilman Fitzgerald, Geo. Pierce, J. W. Bonham, J. H. Calligan, J. J. Rooney, W. Blair, H. C. Hitchcock, James K. Reynolds, E. J. Stewart, H. Kohler, Percy Lee, G. Leviston, Paul Butler, J. E. McCarthy, P. I. Delahanty, H. C. Richardson, P. I. Huber, Walter Cregan, John Matthews, Wm. Scholtz, Jr., C. O. Huber, Thos. Bradley, Dr. T. J. Leonard, Capt. Martin Ryan, J. W. McCombs, John Nichols.

WILL TALK ABOUT CIVIC AFFAIRS.

The Oakland Common Good Alliance is an organization composed of a limited number of delegates from the men's leagues of clubs of Oakland churches or of the churches themselves will hold an open meeting in Hamilton Hall Thursday evening June 3. E. P. E. Troy an authority on civic affairs will discuss the proposed bond issue and will advocate municipal ownership of water. The Oakland Common Good Alliance is organized for the purpose of investigating proposed municipal legislation. Its mission is to discuss the merits and demerits of the proposed bond issue and to advocate municipal ownership of water. An executive committee for the carrying out of the desires of the alliance is elected annually but has no power to act except on approval of the entire body.

JUDGE LINDSEY IS RE-ELECTED.

At the election in Denver Judge Ben B. Lindsey, judge of the juvenile court, was unanimously elected to succeed himself. His name appearing on all tickets. This is as it should be for he is the most advanced exponent of the juvenile court.

SNEAK THIEF AT WORK
Benjamin Johnson, 741 Myrtle street, reports to the police that a silver watch and some change was taken from his vest pocket while he was at work on a building in the course of erection at Seventh and Clay streets yesterday.

SCAVENGERS LOSE FIRST ROUND.

HEALTH OFFICER VON ADELUNG KNOCKS OUT DEMURRER IN PRELIMINARY SKIRMISH.

The first fall in the fight begun by Health Officer Von Adelung and the Pacific Incinerating Company against the garbage men was won by the former in a decision handed down by Judge Melvin overruling a demurrer made by Attorney James H. Creeley for the garbage men. It was objected that Von Adelung could not sue as an official of the city and contended that only the District Attorney or Attorney General could bring such an action. The authorities, however, according to the ruling of Judge Melvin were against him upon this point and his demurrer was overruled and he was allowed a week in which to amend it. It is expected that when next it comes that the merits of the matter will be reached.

As health officer D. Von Adelung has asked the courts for an injunction to stop the scavengers from maintaining a public nuisance in filling up the city with garbage on its flats in West Oakland. While there was no crematory in the city this nuisance was put up with but it is now contended that

there is no longer any necessity for it and it is claimed that the health of the entire city is and has been menaced by allowing such a practice.

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MEETINGS STILL ATTRACT CROWDS.

After a three weeks' meeting in the tent pitched at Fifth and Peralta streets in West Oakland, interest is manifested and large numbers of people are attracted to the services to the same extent that marked the first nights of work in that section of the city. From night to night the Gospel has been preached by Rev. W. J. Speers of the Second Congregational Church and illustrated with stereopticon views and song. Results have been witnessed not only in the meetings but in the community at large. The excellent singing of Prof. Frank Dickson, assisted by a choir composed of singers from the five West Oakland churches has been a force in strengthening all the services. Nothing is being left undone to reach and help the people, and to that end street meetings, children's meetings and special meetings for men and women have had the assistance of such workers as William Ingram of the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church, F. N. Halliday of the First Methodist Church, Rev. Eschur Smith of San Francisco, Mrs. C. E. Rice of Berkeley and H. H. Gribben.

Last Wednesday afternoon three hundred and fifty children gathered in the tent for the purpose of listening to a splendid program of recitation and song carried out by nine Chinese girls from the Presbyterian Occidental Home in San Francisco and an address by Miss Belle Garretts of that institution. The singing of a trained quartet and the sweet solos of Miss Suey Leen caused a hush throughout the audience. The special work with the children will be continued as long as the tent services are held.

MAYOR'S CHAUFFEUR ARRESTED
NEW YORK, May 28.—A bicycle policeman with no regard for the majesty of the mayor's chauffeur has arrested that individual for exceeding the speed limit. The policeman was given a pretty chase before he overhauled the automobile. The chauffeur was on his way to meet the Mayor at Fifth avenue and St.aurant. He was late and dashed at high speed past the policeman. The policeman was for several blocks with the chief flying in his face. When the chauffeur attempted to explain that the chief executive of Greater New York was to be seriously inconvenienced by his misadventure the policeman scented a plot to escape and refused to be drawn into it. He hauled his prisoner off to the station house. When the alleged law-breaker came to the conclusion that the chief of the Mayor appeared and bailed him out.

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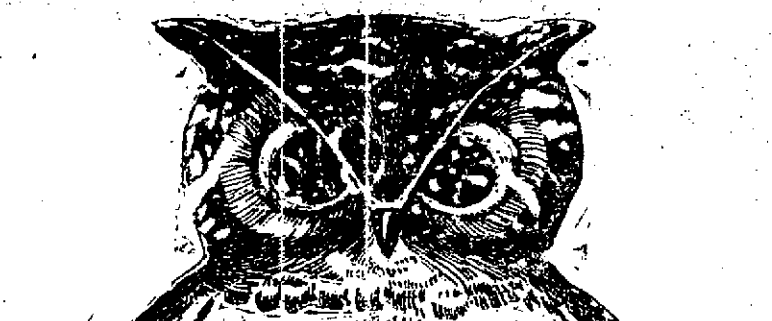
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COUNCIL HAS BEEN USING STOLEN POWER.

Board of Work Meets and Finds City Fathers Appropriated Its Authority.

At the meeting of the Board of Public Works yesterday afternoon Mayor Olney called the attention of his colleagues on the board to a certain resolution of the Council which presumed to direct the board to weed Independence Square.

"The Council," said the Mayor, "is purely a legislative body, while the Board of Public Works is an executive body. It is a good time now to call attention of the Council to the fact that unless resolutions and ordinances are guarded very closely there is apt to be a conflict of authority."

"In the past," said City Attorney McElroy, "the duties of the Council and the Board of Public Works has been a matter of considerable friction. It is wise, I think, to call the attention of the Council to its own limitations."

"I do not think there will be any danger of friction in the present case. On the part of the Council it was simply a misunderstanding. Section 71 of the city charter, which, incidentally, I framed myself, specially gives the Board of Public Works exclusive control of the streets, highways, roads, bridges, parks and all public places belonging to the city. On several occasions the Council has usurped the powers of the Board of Public Works."

"Then the City Council has no right to appoint the City Engineer, park employees, or architects?" the Mayor asked.

"No, the Council has unknowingly trespassed on the authority of the board in those respects. For instance, the Council has been in the habit of appointing the City Engineer. While no protest has been made, yet it is a prerogative of the Board of Public Works."

Under the ruling of the board the appointments of architects in the proposed bond issue is a matter for the board and not for the Council.

It would seem under this circumstance that not only did Councilman Cuvellier ere in "directing" the Board of Public Works to weed Independence Square, but Councilman Baccus also erred in having a resolution passed whereby architects wishing to prepare bond plans must be Oakland men. Under the new rule of the Board of Public Works, the selection of the architects will not be a matter of interest to the Council.

According to Mayor Olney, it was not his intention to cause any friction by calling attention to the encroachments of the Council, but merely to preserve the functions of the two governing bodies to themselves.

It is now up to the Council to quietly submit to be shorn of its privileges heretofore enjoyed, or make a stand against the ruling of the Board of Public Works.

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MONDAY, MAY 30th.

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NEGRO HOLD-UP THUG CAPTURED.

Chief of Police Hodgkins received word from Tracy this morning that the negro thug who is alleged to have held up Mrs. N. Morrill of 2337 Shattuck avenue, Berkeley, and have robbed her of a purse and gold watch, has been captured.

Detective Denny Holland has been sent to the place of arrest to bring the negro back.

The robbery occurred last Wednesday, Mrs. Morrill was held up on Pine street, between Fifth and Seventh streets.

MITCHELL SUSTAINS COAL COMPANY.

BUTTE, Mont., May 28.—A Red Lodge special to the Miner says Superintendent Pettigrew of the Northwestern Improvement Company, operating the coal mines of the Northern Pacific Railway Company, has received advice from President John Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers of America, sustaining the company in its controversy with the local union over the question of the employment of a check weighman. As a result of the differences 600 miners walked out. President Mitchell rules that the check weighman must be elected by those who are actually working as miners.

President Mitchell holds that the arrest of Superintendent Pettigrew at the instigation of the Attorney-General of the State, acting in behalf of the unions, to be a violation of an agreement between the unions and the company.

CAPWELL'S EMPLOYEES ENJOY BIG CARNIVAL AT IDORA.

AN OUTING.

"A Night on the Farm" is Produced at the Pretty Piedmont Home.

"A Night on the Farm" was given last night by the H. C. Capwell Company to the 150 employees of the Lace House at the delightful Capwell home in Piedmont. These pleasant affairs occur every year, but that of last night was certainly one of the most delightful that has ever preceded it.

Not only did Mr. and Mrs. Capwell turn their house over to their guests, but the entire grounds were decorated and illuminated with electric lights and hundreds of Japanese lanterns. An unclouded moon and a magnificent American night made the outside attractions all that could be desired.

In accordance with the suggestion contained in the program, everybody appeared in costume, and there were farmers, dairy maids, old maids and young maids in every conceivable costume that feminine ingenuity could suggest. There were at least ten grandmothers and a dozen rubes of the most pronounced type.

A small stage built of bright bunting and prettily decorated and very brilliantly illuminated afforded a platform for the carrying out of a very interesting program, and a great deal of clever talent was displayed.

Mr. and Mrs. Capwell, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lavenon, N. Gans, Mr. Seabright and Mr. Gellert assisted in receiving the guests, and from the time the first of the merry-makers stepped off the car until after midnight everything was life and enjoyment.

Miss Lottie Canterbury and among the many "hits" in her original recitation, three well known young men were handled as follows:

"Under a spreading chestnut tree
You'll always find Charles Larn;
For quite a humorist is he,
And when he does a turn
With chestnuts he is well supplied—
Has them, in fact, to burn."

"Backward, turn backward, oh time in thy flight;
Slip back five minutes and make it all right.
Yes, I'm aware that's a pretty hard knock,
But that's just what Sisvine says to the clock."

"Tis not the schooner 'Hesperus'

TYE GAINS HIS RELEASE.

CHARGE OF INSANITY AGAINST HIM ALLOWED TO GO OVER.

Charles Tye, the prize fighter, who was charged with insanity, was released this morning and his case continued for one week in order to give him a chance to see if he will not quiet down and possibly regain his normal condition. His examination took place before Judge Ogden and Mrs. Tisdale and the consensus of opinion was that he was bordering on nervous collapse and had a touch of hysteria. Such cases sometimes come all right of themselves if the patient is given the necessary rest needed. Tye and his wife and brother pleaded hard, and it was thought best possibly to let him go and give him a trial.

Tye was excited in his talk and ran on incessantly and endeavored to explain away his present condition. He was getting up at 3 o'clock in the morning, he said, and working until 10 o'clock at night. Continuing such hours upon a terrible beating he received in the ring a few weeks ago it is believed he has broken down his nervous system.

Dr. Tisdale, in his questioning of Tye, asked him what all his talk was about in wanting to join orders and build a fancy restaurant, and in explaining this Tye said:

"I said if I had the money I would like to join the Elks and then the Masons, for I believed that if I had them behind my back they would help me out in my business. I would like if my business increased to build a restaurant exclusively for members of these lodges. But I only said if I had the money I don't know as I could get it. It didn't say I was going to do it, but that if I had the money I would like to do a whole lot of things."

The doctors and Judge agreed that it probably would give him a better chance to quiet down if allowed to go home and the matter was continued until next Friday in order to see how he gets along for the next week.

A Good Idea

HAVE DINNER AT THE PIEDMONT CLUBHOUSE.

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Mock Turtle Soup
Tomatoes, Lettuce and French Dressing
Roast Chicken
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Black Coffee

TYE PAYS A TRIBUTE TO HIS FRIEND.

MURRAY LAIDLAW LEARS TESTIMONY OF THE LOSS OF GEORGE S. IVANS.

Editor TRIBUNE: "The lamentable and deplorable death of my friend and associate, Library Trustee George S. Evans, compels me to pay a passing tribute to his memory."

In the spring municipal election of 1901 George S. Evans and myself were two of the five candidates of the Republican party for the office of Trustee of the Oakland Free Public Library, and I first met him during that campaign. We were introduced at the first meeting held at the little hall on Pearl street, near Eighteenth street, and we rode homeward on the street car together. On the way we conversed and came to the conclusion that it would be advisable for us to attend all the meetings possible of our party. Neither of us missed attendance at any meeting.

We were both elected and from that time until his regrettable death a fast and firm friendship existed between us. He served two years with me on the Library Board and he displayed the most indefatigable zeal in the discharge of his duties. Part of that time he was the chairman of the Book Committee, and as such showed remarkable judgment in the selection of books purchased for the patron of the library.

I remember with unalloyed pleasure that during our companionship and fellowship we had many a long and interesting talk for two full years we always voted together. We never had a single solitary difference of opinion, working as both did for the betterment of the service and for the good of the patrons of the library.

He was indeed the most conscientious man I have ever had the honor of being associated with and at all times showed the highest sense of duty, coupled with the most marked ability, particularly in literary matters.

He was, in his administration of library matters, always controlled by the finest sense of honor, justice and good judgment and it was a treat and a privilege to have served with him in an official capacity.

Had he lived, and the regret that he has not will be long, he would have made a great work in municipal affairs, because, like all health-minded young Americans, he was ambitious to do things and he would have done them and done them right.

In my whole life I have never met a man in whom I had greater hope and greater confidence than in George S. Evans.

True to his friends, loyal in distress and always to be depended upon, he was a man whom the community may well deplore his loss. His existence if continued would have been a blessing to the city, and perhaps, of money, but of brains, which he was largely and beautifully possessed.

Such men as George S. Evans leave their mark on the community in which they live and his mark is good.

The inexpressible regret, that he failed to be adequate to his talents he should not have been permitted to live and pursue his cherished desire, which was to be a literary critic and high publications as Scribner's, The Century, our local Argonaut and other high-class periodicals, readily received his contributions. And had he lived, his progress in literature would have reflected credit on the city of his residence.

With many fast and unforgetting friends I deplore his untimely death. To my finite mind such men should be permitted to live for the good and benefit of the community and the infinite pleasure they themselves have and derive in doing good.

Consider the death of George S. Evans to be not only a personal, but a community, loss. Yours very truly,
MURRAY LAIDLAW.

BIG CARNIVAL AT IDORA.

NAT REISS' SOUTHERN CARNIVAL COMPANY TO SHOW JUNE 13.

The people of Oakland and vicinity, thanks to the enterprise of M. L. Schlueter, the indefatigable carnival impresario, will have an opportunity to witness a carnival next month that will surpass all previous efforts in that direction. Mr. Schlueter and his associates, who have demonstrated and here for the past three years a distinct talent for the exploitation of such big public functions, have matters well in hand for a midsummer carnival at Idora Park, to commence June 13 and run through two weeks, afternoon and evening. After scouring the country for the past year in an effort to secure the greatest carnival aggregation extant, Mr. Schlueter was most fortunate in closing a contract with the famous Nat Reiss Southern Carnival Company, an organization of colossal proportions, traveling in its own special train of twenty-one cars and carrying over 300 people.

This great aggregation, which has furnished the attractions at the largest street fairs and carnivals throughout the country for the past six years, bears an excellent reputation for cleanliness, magnificence and merit. The "southern" (from the sunny south, the home of Mardi Gras, feasts and fun) presents a multiplicity of shows, features and attractions, representing a princely outlay of cost, all being the clever conceptions of that master manager of outdoor amusements, Mr. Nat Reiss, and his capable staff of experienced assistants.

The features of this great aggregation will include "Diavola, the Daredevil," who loops the loop; Philon's spectacular spiral tower; Du Bell's lively live-wire bicycle act, and Fiddler's slide-for-life. Then there will be the camels, Venetian gondolas, a great big Ferris wheel, dazzling displays of fireworks, and the confetti battles, music, roving minstrelsy, fun, frolic and festivities, inseparable from a big up-to-date carnival. At such a seasonable time of year, when the weather is so salubrious, and the young folks seek the suburban parks, a large attendance may be expected.

The fifteen diversified shows carried by this notable company are strongly endorsed by the Los Angeles and other big newspapers, where a most successful two weeks' carnival is just drawing to a close. The majority of the shows, which are presented in pretty pavilion theaters, are new to the coast, and the exchanges taken all in all, Mr. Schlueter's laudable ambition to surpass all his previous efforts as purveyor of popular outdoor amusements here will doubtless be fully realized.

FIND BUSINESS INCREASING.

OSGOODS OPEN BEAUTIFULLY APPOINTED STORE TO MEET NEW DEMANDS.

The beautiful new drug store of Osgood Brothers at Twelfth and Washington streets in the new Bacon Block was opened for business this morning, and up to the hour of going to press, the store has been thronged with customers each of whom received a very handsome burnt leather souvenir.

The opening of this store on this busy corner marks another step in the commercial development of Oakland, for it is not a removal of an old established firm from one point to another, but it is a second store opened by enterprising merchants because they realize that the growing population of this vicinity calls for another first-class drug store. Messrs. Osgood will continue to conduct their old-established drug store at Seventh and Broadway and only recently showed their confidence in locality of that business center by renewing their lease.

Their new store at Twelfth and Washington streets has been fitted up in the most luxurious manner, the entire frontage of one hundred and fifty feet on Twelfth street and the entire frontage on Washington street has display windows of solid French plate glass, making an exceptionally handsome display. The mirrors are set in polished mahogany and the electric fixtures, massive and artistic, are made of heavy brass and richly ornamented. The entrances, both on the corner of the block as well as on the arcade end of the store are wide and very elegantly designed. Inside the store the fixtures are new and bright and there is an air of dignity over the entire place. The floor is of a pretty mosaic design, and the counters are liberally built up with marble. The firm is a liberal user of electric lights and the striking sign on the corner can be seen for blocks because of its brilliancy.

Nothing has been left undone to make this drug store justify the claim of its proprietors, that it shall lead in appointments and fair prices any other drug store around the bay.

This evening there will be thousands of people passing through the handsome Osgood store to which the proprietors cordially invite everybody.

CONFESSES TO THEFT OF GOODS.

William Hargis was arrested yesterday and he was coming out of the residence of C. J. Charters, 532 Telegraph avenue, by Patrolman Hodgkins. He had in his possession a coat, watch and a pair of shoes. He was unable to explain how he came in possession of the goods and was taken to the city hall, where he confessed that he had stolen the articles he had with him.

The prisoner will be charged with burglary.

DEATH OF AN OLD RAILROAD EMPLOYEE.

Edward S. Rusing, who for the last thirty-five years has been an employee of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, died last night at the company's hospital in San Francisco as the result of an operation. He was 73 years of age. He resided in this city at 1221 Twelfth street. He leaves a widow and three children.

Men want the earth, but women are satisfied with a home.

STORE CLOSED MONDAY ALL DAY

SALINGER'S

Merchandise Demonstration

COMMENCING TUESDAY MORNING

THE FOLLOWING DEMONSTRATION WILL TAKE PLACE ON OUR

BARGAIN TABLES

MAIN FLOOR.

RIGHT HERE WE WOULD CALL YOUR ATTENTION TO THESE BARGAIN TABLES. IT WILL PAY YOU TO WATCH THEM.

THESE GO ON SALE TUESDAY UNTIL SOLD

Corset Value \$1.00 to \$1.50, 25c

Children's Wash Dresses, Children's Caps, Bonnets and Hats, Ladies and Children's Sun Bonnets, Children's Waists, Babies' White Skirts and Bibs, Kitchen Aprons, Kimonos and Dressing Gowns. Values ranging up to \$1.50

25c


Silk Gauze in all colors; silks Grenadine, all colors, 2 yds wide—white French gingham, Mercerized, Zephyr Gingham; plain, striped and Silk Poplins; all colors—values ranging up to 50c.

25c yard

Fancy Gun Metal Taffeta, plain Taffeta, black Brocades, Liberty Satins, Japanese Goods and Novelties, figured Silks—values up to 75c yard.

25c yard

These goods will be on sale on main floor—Eleventh street side—center Bargain Tables.



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SALINGER'S

Southwest Corner 11th and Washington
The House that Saves You Money

Know where to buy and the make you ought to buy when you're ready to buy at a purse-loosening price.



J. T. Moran

Cor. eleventh St. and Broadway
Oakland

You'll not be deceived about "Golland" clothes if you find the label in the inside pocket.

YOU SHOULD BE LOOKING EARLY FOR JUNE WEDDING PRESENTS AT



W. N. JENKINS

Leading Jeweler and Silversmith
1067 Broadway, Between Eleventh and Twelfth Streets, Oakland.

DECORATION DAY HOLIDAYS

SPECIAL EXCURSION RATES.

For the three holidays, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, May 28th, 29th and 30th, the California Northwestern Railway, the Picturesque Route of California, will make one fare for round trip from San Francisco to all points on the road except suburban. These tickets will be good going Saturday, Sunday or Monday, with the return limit Tuesday, May 31st. This will give many an opportunity to get out into the country for a short trip just when it is at its prettiest. Get a copy of "Vacation 1904," look over it and take a pleasant trip during these three days and at the same time arrange for your summer outing. On Monday, May 30th, the train will leave Camp Valer at 6:00 p. m., Russian River Heights 6:10 p. m., Guerneville 6:45 p. m., Glen Ellen at 6:15 p. m. Both trains will stop at intermediate points, arriving in San Francisco at 8:45 p. m. Ticket offices, 650 Market street, Chronicle Building, and Tiburon Ferry, foot of Market street, San Francisco.

Too many nurses make a specialty of nursing trouble.

MEAT QUOTATIONS

Old Friends are the Best.

Stick by the J. J. Leri & Co. Steam Cleaning Works, 368 Fourth street. Phone Main 385. New carpets at bargain prices.

Beef and Mutton lower; Veal, Pork and Lamb easier.	
Rib Steak	3 lbs. 25c
Beef Roast	8c
Beef to boil	5c, 6c and 7c
Round Steak	12c
Pork House	15c
Mutton Chops	10c
Shoulder Lamb	10c
Legs Veal	10c
Legs Mutton	12c
Pork Roast	12c
Sausages	3 lbs for 2c
Prime Rib Roast	12c

VINCENT'S MARKET

853 WASHINGTON ST.
Phone Main 161.

The KNAVE

Who Will Lead the Democracy Out of Darkness
An Oratorical Contest Between Delmas and Cochran

SAN FRANCISCO, May 28.—There is a singular dearth of activity over the selection of the chairmen of the State Central Committees of the parties. Of course Gavin McNab will have the naming of the man who is to head the Democrats. Franklin K. Lane would seem to be the natural man for the job. Committees have been working for him for a long time. Now, naturally, he might be expected to go to work for somebody else.

The Democratic job is not of the rosiest. There is a deficit in the committee and an active canvasser is needed to get funds to pay up the old horse debts and provide a little something for going on with the forthcoming campaign. The Democrats who put up are few and far between. The old days when Bill English had \$96,000 with which to make a Presidential campaign are like "a dream of things that were." The party is flea-bitten with poverty. But Lane, if he would go out and hustle could get up quite a bunch of dough. He has a following. He still is the party martyr. In this instance, with a little energy, he might pay the moss-grown bills and put the committee on its pins. He seems to be the man for the occasion—the one financial hope of the Democracy—and McNab can put him in the job if he will. Why not? He certainly is the man for the occasion. Here is the test for a real leader. If he can reunite the party and milk down the money for the campaign, what party honor could be too great for him?

Among the Republicans the machine men do

not seem to have taken enough interest in the committee to have figured out a roll call. In far-away, dreamy fashion the names of General George Stone, Charlie Spear, president of the Board of Harbor Commissioners, and Tom Flint are discussed. Until Judge Burnett, chairman of the convention, has named his names there will be no such thing as knowing where the balance of power is to lie. Of course, Flint is the representative of the antis, and Spear is Pardee straight, and Stone would take program beautifully. But the work of sizing up the winner has hardly been hinted at.

Perhaps the apathy is due to the wait for the return of W. F. Herrin. He is to be back in a few days, and then we are supposed to be told who's who. Herrin probably can say who is to be chairman of the State Central Committee, just as he probably will say who the delegation to the National convention is to elect as National Committeemen. The men who are saying that Herrin has lost his grip are very much bewildered. He never was more the master of the situation than right now. Ruef may worry him a bit now and then, or a district boss may occasionally break away; but Herrin does politics at the old stand all the time, and, blow high, blow low, they all have to go to see him when the pinch comes.

Senator Bard has been here during the week. The pool has not much been stirred. Collector Fred Stratton called on him, but the rest of the Federal brigade kept away. They owe their allegiance purely and simply to Perkins, and it is an open secret that Perkins is for Oxnard for Bard's place.

"It looks very much as if Oxnard was going

to get the honor by default," said one of the Federals, who has a hard-headed way of looking at a political situation. "Nobody is doing anything for Bard, and nobody else is at work. George Hatton has been lining up the State in Oxnard's favor, and it seems that he must win." Occasionally there is a rumo that Henry T. Gage will try for the job; or that Congressman Metcalf will go after it with grappling hooks; or that ex-Senator Charles N. Felton has his eye on his old seat in Washington. But thus far the real battle has been left to Oxnard and Bard, and among practical politicians there is no doubt expressed that Oxnard is going to win. He certainly is having the State organization for him, and in politics organization is nine points of the game.

Evidently there has been a good deal of a squabble over the selection of George A. Knight to second the nomination of Roosevelt on behalf of the West. I confess I do not know the story; but I have had hints and suggestions enough to fill me with a desire to know the yarn in full. Congressman Metcalf brought the President's request to Knight, but there was some sort of a flurry in Washington before the game was set. Metcalf is mum about what occurred. Justice Frederick W. Henshaw of the Supreme Court knows the story, but he has a close mouth. Knight just grins and says he cannot talk on so delicate a subject.

Knight is one of the few men California sends to a National convention who counts for anything. He knows the men who make National politics. He is one of the few Californians the President could call by name of hand. And he has a clientele among the hangers-on of National conventions. The gallery knows him. His voice reaches that gallery. He has a breezy,

Western way of saying things. Always when he has spoken he has scored a success. If he were National Committeeman he might bring a convention to San Francisco one of these days, but we do not put such men in places where they can do the State some good. We haven't learned that trick yet.

Talking of orators, I am minded that Bourke Cochran, the great Democratic talker, is apt to head this way. Whitney Warren, the brilliant New York architect, designer of the New York Yacht Club building and the great new depot of the Vanderbilt lines, has written to Tom McCaleb and Judge Ward McAllister of the Pacific Union Club telling them that Cochran is likely to come to San Francisco before a great while.

Immediately there has been planned or outlined the scheme for a fine oratorical duel. D. M. Delmas is the oratorical idol of the Pacific Union Club, and he is beyond question one of the great orators of the country and the world. So there has been germinated a project to give a banquet to the choice spirits—the men of appreciation—and have Delmas there as the spokesman for the West, with Cochran as the champion of the East.

That will be a banquet worth any man's while. It is hard to tell who would carry off the honors. Likely that would depend on the inspiration of the occasion. There is not much to choose between the two. Both are scholarly; both are eloquent. If Delmas had lived in New York as Cochran has he would have had an equal fame. It may be recalled that Horace Platt once gathered the laurels in a post-prandial contest of humor with the redoubtable Chauncey Depew. In California we hold our big men too cheaply. Our intimacy may breed for them a certain contempt. We know too closely every

time their unwashed linen is hung out upon their backyard line.

However, it is expected that Delmas will name William Randolph Hearst at St. Louis, and there he will have his chance. That his speech will read better than the others goes almost without the saying. Whether his voice will be big enough for the trying occasion remains to be seen. Few men can hold the enormous throng at a National convention, because few have the vocal power to reach the throng. A man may talk with the tongues of men and of angels, and if he appear to most of the assemblage as a mere gesticulating marionette he can score no hit. It was Bryan's wondrous voice as much as his manner that won him the nomination at Chicago in 1896.

And again, speaking of orators, the question runs, why was not Jim Budd at Santa Cruz to help out the Hearst fight there? Budd is one of the most engaging of political talkers. He has an unexcelled campaign way with him. He catches and holds a crowd. He welcomes interruption. His wit is nimble. And he has been supposed to be very close to Hearst's cause. But he was not at Santa Cruz at the crucial time. His voice was not heard there. Barrett and Alford had the Hearst honors.

There are whisperings of jealousy among the Democrats—jealousy that M. F. Tarpey was selected to make the Hearst fight in the West. If Thomas J. Geary had been put in charge he surely would have fallen into line instead of coming out in opposition. Perhaps even Lane might have been placated with the plume of command. But as it was, there was a fight, and the wonder grows—oh, where was Budd?

THE KNAVE.

POLICY GAMBLING RAILROADS DO
OBLITERATED.

GRAND JURY OF CHICAGO WILL
NOW TAKE UP THE
TROUBLE.

CHICAGO, May 28.—Policy gambling in Chicago with annual profits estimated at \$10,000,000 is declared by Assistant Chief of Police Schuetzler practically to have been obliterated by a new line of attack against the policy men. As the result of a conference between Schuetzler and Assistant States Attorney Blair, the Grand Jury today will begin voting indictments against policy men already arrested, numbering 174, and all that may be captured hereafter.

Cases now pending in the Harrison Street Police Court against the keepers of policy shops and policy writers are to be dismissed at the request of the corporation counsel's office. It is announced that full attention may be given by county and city officials to preparing evidence for the Grand Jury.

The decision to transfer the scene of court action against the policy men from the police courts to the criminal court was reached after such a step had been considered for several days at the State's Attorney's office. It is now agreed that all keepers of policy shops are to be indicted on the charge of "conducting a lottery business" and the policy writers for "selling lottery tickets" or "having lottery tickets in their possession."

The maximum fine that may be imposed on a conviction of any of these charges is \$2,000.

Evidence is not wanting, says the police, that the policy men already are "on the run" as a result of the activity of the gambling detail. Instead of being thronged with patrons, as was the case a week ago, the shops generally are deserted save for their keepers. In nine raids yesterday only one shop was discovered to have more than two inmates.

JAPANESE ARE
NOT DISTURBED.

TOKIO, May 28, 10 a. m.—The Japanese are not seriously disturbed by the Russian operations in Eastern Korea. The movements of the Cossack cavalry and battery of guns that accompany them is being closely watched by the Japanese who are confident in their ability to protect their communications and maintain the military supremacy of Japan in Korea. The Yalu victory which opened the Yalu estuary to water communication diminishes the importance of the line of land communications from Chinnampo to Wiju. The loss of their naval power compels the Russians to avoid the sea along the eastern coast of Korea and limits their operations to the land where transportation difficulties prevent the concentration and operation of a large land force.

I wonder if the all giraffe
Gets tired of wearing spots;
I shouldn't think he'd always like
To dress in polka dots!

LIVESTOCK MEN SAY THEY ARE
NOW GETTING BETTER
SERVICE.

DENVER, May 28.—The National Livestock Association has issued a circular letter to its members upon the subject of railway transportation. In part the letter says:

"That good service at the hands of railways is the thing most desired by all shippers, but the return pass is not the 'insignificant item' as it has been termed by some. This item means an amount ranging from \$60,000 to the Texas and \$40,000 to the Montana cattlemen and a sum almost as large to the sheep growers of Wyoming, Idaho and Utah. It takes time for railway companies to inaugurate entirely new methods of transportation over thousands of miles of line. However, the promise made to the committee of the National Livestock Association to abrogate the tonnage system in hauling live stock is being realized."

"Reports from every western State are to the effect that the service has wonderfully improved and that the railways are honestly endeavoring to give entire satisfaction. Advances from all the eastern markets are that the service in time and prompt delivery is now better than it has been at any time for several years past."

"It is possible to get the inter-state commerce act amended as provided for in the Quarles-Cooper bill, the trouble of the shippers of live stock will be minimized. The National Livestock Association, for four years, has been sliding the inter-State commerce law convention to secure the enactment of this amendment."

"The attention of the traffic managers has been called to the heavy loss in live stock rates from several localities. They have agreed to a hearing on this subject as early as the data can be gathered with which a case can be maintained."

POLICE THINK
MURDER WAS DONE.

CHICAGO, May 28.—The Record-Herald today says:

According to the police of Whiting, Indiana, the identity of the man whose dead body was found in a loaded naphtha tank car yesterday has been finally established. He was L. J. Hall, 26 years old, of Wolfs Lake, Ind., and his body placed in the car. A young man whose name the police withhold, and who had been employed in the shipping department of the Standard Oil Company's plant at Whiting, and a woman 29 years old, to whom both Hall and the missing man are alleged to have been attentive, are being sought by the police.

Hall had been employed as a clerk at the club house last Friday night and that was the last time his friends saw him alive.

When and where he lost his life remain to be solved, but marks of violence on his head and body indicate the manner of his death.

When last seen, Hall carried a gold watch and chain and had a sum of money, all of which has disappeared.

NOW SHE IS SORRY SHE RAN
AWAY AND MARRIED.

Mrs. Albert Schultz is
Anxious to Secure
a Divorce.

Believes Her Husband Is in
Love With Another
Woman.

The elopement of Miss Alice Runde, a young society girl of Berkeley, on February 20th, with P. Albert Schultz, a San Francisco optician, has now been followed by divorce proceedings. The bliss following the secret trip to San Rafael and the tying of the nuptial knot by a Justice of the Peace was soon rudely interrupted when Mrs. Schultz found that her husband was keeping company with a former sweetheart.

Upon their return to Berkeley they announced their marriage, but they did not begin housekeeping. Mrs. Schultz was preparing to pack her effects and join her husband, but changed her mind after listening to the counsel of older heads. She was told that she would be very unhappy if she went to live with her newly-acquired husband, and it was impressed upon her that he was in no position to properly support her.

CROKER'S HORSE
MAY NOT RACE.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Richard Croker's horse Clonmel, for which it is said he paid \$15,000 with its Derby engagement, is now put down as a doubtful starter for the classic race, says a World dispatch from London. There are reports of his training published and he is not mentioned in the betting.

Mr. Blanc's Government is first favorite for the race this year and the prospect of its being won for the first time in forty years by a Frenchman is giving the contest unusual interest. Government will be ridden by Cannon, the crack English jockey. The last three Derby winners were ridden by Americans.

Governant will cross the channel today and will be sent in special train direct to Epsom, to be prepared for the race next Wednesday.

Everything is being done to counteract the possible evil effects of the change. The horse is being accompanied by all its stablemen and Chantilly water of sufficient quantity for its stay in England is being brought in huge tanks.

Some men imagine they were born great and later on achieved a fresh crop of greatness.



MRS. ALBERT SCHULTZ.

RUSSIANS THOUGHT
JAP WAS EASY.

NEWCHWANG, May 28, morning.—A staff officer just from Mukden says the deliberation and precision of the enemy has surprised General Kuropatkin who at first believed the Japanese campaign would be one of dashing recklessness, with more the tactical display about the maneuvers than strategy.

A Chinese merchant just arrived who left Dalny five days ago says the Russians have vacated the town at the time of his departure had not been occupied by the Japanese forces. The latter were still engaged in landing troops at Kin Chou bay. It is said on excellent authority that the Japanese plan is to use a force of 100,000 men in their operations against Port Arthur and take it by storm in a fortnight. They realize that the losses in the execution of this plan will be severe but it is considered better to risk that than to keep a large army idle for three months. They do not propose it is further said, to penetrate into the interior any further than Mukden. The Russian authorities have secured \$2,000,000 in coin by French loan.

Courtlship is a two-sided game in which each player tries to fool the other.

PERSONALS FROM
PLEASANTON.

INTERESTING ITEMS GATHERED
IN THE COUNTRY
TOWN.

PLEASANTON, May 28.—Carpenters and painters are fast transforming the old store of H. Arendt & Co. into an emporium, which when finished will be one of the best in Alameda county. The new grocery department is up-to-date and has large windows, fine shelving and handsome counters. The front part of the store will be finished about June 1. The Ladies' Aid Society met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. A. Bruce and spent the afternoon in sewing. The committee on the entertainment Saturday night turned over \$70. John Owens and Joe Marshall were sentenced to sixty days each in the County Jail by Judge Quinn Monday for drunkenness.

Mrs. Jess Near, who has been ill for some time, was removed to Lane Hospital Thursday for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Bernal were in a couple of weeks at Hearst's, Mendocino county, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ralph.

Mr. and Mrs. William Frost are happy over the arrival of a little Native Son.

Mrs. Hugh Sinclair is recovering from her recent illness and will soon be able to be out.

Mrs. John Coffeen was in San Francisco the early part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Bernal were in San Francisco this week.

Mrs. Flora Cutler and Mrs. Will Graham spent a few days in the bay cities this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Peck from Oakland have moved here. Mr. Peck has leased the Pleasanton Iron Works. He took possession on Monday.

C. F. Morse is in Leland this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDougall are visiting in Oakland.

The Presbyterian Church choir and orchestra will give a sacred concert Sunday evening, when a splendid program will be given.

Fred Carr of San Francisco spent Sunday with relatives here.

Dr. Sam Wells was in San Francisco Thursday.

APPRAISERS
ARE REVERSED.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Judge Townsend in the United States Circuit Court has announced his decision reversing the Board of United States General Appraisers in a test case brought by importers of fancy cotton goods.

The question involved was whether cloths containing threads other than the ordinary warp and filling introduced to form a design, or for the purpose of ornamentation, and dutiable as countable cottons under the ad valorem clauses of the Dingley law, are subject to an additional specific duty because of the extra threads. Judge Townsend holds that they are not. Bessie Townsend holds that they are not. Bessie Townsend holds that they are not. Bessie Townsend holds that they are not.

DECOTO CHILDREN
EXAMINED.

EIGHTH GRADE PUPILS STRIVE
FOR MIDSUMMER GRADUATION HONORS.

DECOTO, May 28.—The eighth grade of the Decoto school attended the county examinations at Niles recently and a very pleasant feature of the examinations was the lunch served by the pupils of the other schools to the pupils of the other schools. The people of Niles are very enterprising and generous for at both of the recent Grand Jury examinations a very enjoyable lunch was served. This custom originated at Niles several years ago and has since been followed by the various examination centers in Washington township. It is a unique sight to see the teachers and pupils gathered about the banquet board on these occasions and doubtless there are few places in the world where this pleasant custom prevails.

SURVEYORS AT WORK.

A party of surveyors surveyed along the line of the Southern Pacific through this section this week.

UNITED ARTISANS.

The United Artisans held a picnic in Henry May's canyon last Saturday. A large number of people from the neighboring towns attended.

PERSONAL MENTION.

C. N. Whitmore of Ceres was the guest of D. C. Kelley and family Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Hurlbut visited in San Francisco a few days the first of the week. Mrs. Paul of Oakland spent Monday with Mrs. Jackson.

ANGRY CROWD
AFTER NEGRO.

NEW YORK, May 28.—A serious demonstration against Charles Green, a negro who attacked two girls in Central Park, has been checked by several policemen only after threats had been made by the latter to use their revolvers. The mob consisted of 300 or 400 men, who were running down the negro in Fifty-ninth street. When they learned the charge against him, stones and clubs were hurled at his head, but he was not seriously hurt. Threats of lynching broke out and the crowd began to close in upon the police, who managed to drag their prisoner to the station after threatening to shoot.

The brute attacked the girls, who were sisters, while they were taking photographs in a much frequented section of the park, in endeavoring to drive him off one of the sisters beat him over the head with a camera and her screams quickly brought aid. The negro took to his heels and when he reached Fifty-ninth street the crowd had grown to a howling mob. Several policemen ran up and headed the chase. Green was overhauled and when the crowd began to cry "lynch him" he cowered behind the police in terror. He was identified immediately by the sisters, both of whom suffered severely from the shock, but were not injured otherwise.

If a leaped year girl doesn't want to take any chances she should propose to a widower who dyes his hair.

SAYS PORT ARTHUR
IS SAFE.

RUSSIAN OFFICER DOES NOT
THINK JAPANESE CAN
GET NEAR IT.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 28.—Captain Jakovlev, former commander of the Russian battleship Petropavlovsk, who was wounded when his ship was destroyed at Port Arthur, April 13, in an interview regarding the possibility of the Japanese capturing Port Arthur, declared that it would take 150,000 men with magnificent artillery to accomplish the task.

Asked the number of men in the Port Arthur garrison, Captain Jakovlev said it was much larger than was stated in the telegraphic reports—much over 25,000—but he declined to state what would be the exact number when the defenders of the Kin Chou positions retired within the fortresses.

He discussed with some detail the difficulties of the approach. After the outer line of fortifications is reached, said he, a number of detached positions must be captured before the enemy could even reach the inner ring of defenses. The taking of each position would necessitate a bloody battle and their capture would leave the citadel untouched and, to his mind, impregnable.

A great deal, of course, would depend upon the relative merits of the artillery of the opposing forces. The Russian guns could not be judged by the results on the Yalu, where the Russians had only light advance guards artillery against the heavy siege guns which the Japanese were bringing up for use in Manchuria.

Port Arthur, Captain Jakovlev said, had mounted numerous large guns (landwards while Makarov's system of range finding is so nearly perfect that the Japanese never ventured within reach of the shore batteries).

As illustrating the fact that the Japanese artillery is not necessarily invincible, the captain said the battleship Petropavlovsk was struck by a 12-inch shell at a distance of two and a quarter miles and her armor was penetrated to a depth of only two inches.

He declared that Port Arthur was provisioned for a year and said all the damaged ships there had been repaired except the Retvizan and the Czarevitch. The latter, he asserted, ought to be ready today and the former within a week.

FIRING OF GUNS
CAUSES DESTRUCTION.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Detonations from the tests of heavy artillery at the government proving grounds at Sandy Hook, besides causing minor damage, has wrecked a portion of a public school building in Coney Island, seven miles distant. Two of the boys pupils were injured by the falling of a part of the ceiling in one of the rooms and the other children were thrown into a panic. One boy sustained a depressed fracture of the skull which may cause his death.

BERKELEY

SUBURBAN NEWS

UNIVERSITY

HAVE DONE TELL OF
GOOD WORK IN INDIANS.

SEWING WAS HIGH.

WILL HOLD SERVICES.

SCHOOLS READY TO CLOSE MANY ARE INJURED.

Report Made on Special
Work in Berkeley
Schools.

BERKELEY, May 28.—Two very interesting reports have been submitted to the City Superintendent of Schools this week on matters which are of general interest to the community at large. One is by Mrs. L. S. Sweet, in Supervision of Music in the Public Schools, and tells of the work accomplished during the year. The other report is by Miss Kathryn Grace Dawson, Supervisor of Drawing in the Public Schools, describing the work done in the art line by the children. The two reports are, in part, as follows:

MRS. SWEET'S REPORT
A small exhibit of music work was sent to the St. Louis Exposition. The little songs written by the pupils in the Fifth and Sixth grades formed the best part of this work. It is not an easy task to secure a music exhibit and when secured, it represents only a very small part of the real work accomplished with the children.

"Glee clubs have been organized in the Lincoln, the Whittier, the Allston Way and the McKinley buildings. These have furnished extra music at the closing exercises of the Eighth grades. The period given for language work and had her pupils write upon the life of Mozart, his childhood and his manifold songs by Mozart were done. The special study of one of our music masters was finished by giving an hour to the reading of some of the best papers. A Major Santa, songs from the glee club and lantern slide pictures showing difference places of his life. Any one can see at a glance what work of this sort means to boys and girls of that age. The choir work in the High School, twenty minutes each, has been greatly improved. No public musical entertainments have been given in the High School this year, as the work in the grades seemed to demand the more attention."

MISS DAWSON'S REPORT
"I beg to submit the following report of the department of drawing for the school year ending June 30, 1904. The exhibition should be made of the fine exhibit in drawing which was sent to the St. Louis Exposition. I think that Berkeley may well be proud of her boys and girls for the work done in this line, not only for the good results shown, but for the appreciation and love they are acquiring for the artistic and the

Excellent Work Pre-
pared at the State
University.

BERKELEY, May 28.—The first volume of the American archeology and ethnology publications undertaken by the University of California has just been issued from the University press. It has been prepared by Professor Elmyr Earle Goddard and deals with the life, culture and language of the Hupa, a tribe of Indians found in Northern California, in the Humboldt county region. The book is in two parts, is handsomely illustrated and altogether is one of the most interesting and valuable publications issued at the University for some time.

In compiling his most elaborate work Professor Goddard had a two-fold purpose. It was not only designed to be the first volume in the archeology series but served as the thesis on which Professor Goddard secured his doctor's degree from the University on last Commencement day. So meritorious is the work considered by the Academic Council at Berkeley that some 400 copies have been sent to various colleges and public institutions in America and Europe.

The author has divided his work into two parts—"The Life and Culture of the Hupa" and "Hupa Texts."

U. C. Girls Had Good
Home at Mrs. Hearst's
Expense.

BERKELEY, May 28.—The all-absorbing topic with the remnant of University people in Berkeley at the present time is Mrs. Hearst's decision to withdraw financial support from the Young Woman's Christian Association and other institutions she has been looking after. Late yesterday afternoon Miss Eagan, Mrs. Hearst's secretary, arrived at the Domestic Industries, 2532 Haste street, and began the task of settling affairs with Miss A. M. Hicks, the supervisor of the plant.

The maintenance of the pretty home and the payment of generous salaries, to say nothing of liberality to the apprentices in the non-productive and self-supporting stage, cost Mrs. Hearst the round sum of about \$10,000 a year. Believing this expenditure to be extravagant, Mrs. Hearst has determined to curtail the entire sum, making no provision for the future existence of the institution.

Woodmen Will Hold
Memorial Exercises.

BERKELEY, May 28.—The members of Woodmen Camp, No. 404, held an election of officers last night with the following result: C. F. Goodenough, commander; George Stoddard, advisor; Lieutenant, E. E. Hannan, escort, F. L. Wharf, watchman; George James, secretary; R. H. Wendt, manager.

The installation will be held in the early part of next month.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.
On the afternoon of Sunday, June 5th, the combined Woodmen camps and women's auxiliary of the city will hold memorial services at Mountain View cemetery. The graves that will participate in the exercises are Carpio and Enoch circles at Center, Wedgewood and Paloma camps.

Graduating Exercises Will Be Held
at Public Institutions
Next Week.

BERKELEY, May 28.—The public schools will close next week for the summer vacation with appropriate exercises.

The McKinley School will graduate next Thursday afternoon, at 1 o'clock in the assembly hall, the largest class in its history. Miss Elizabeth, the teacher in charge of the graduating class, this year, has spared no effort to make this occasion memorable in the school life of her pupils. The singing is under the direction of Miss Alice Freeman and is to be a special feature of the exercises. The following is the program:

Song, "Spread Our Republic," class; "Love of Our Country," class, address by class president, Randall Laymon; song, "Salute to the Flag," class; recitation, "The Jousting of the Graduates," Lorraine Andrews; remarks, Mr. T. H. Crawford; song, "The Tailors," boys; "Class will," Leontine Rickard; response, Principal Bradenbach; song, "The Old Guard," class, remarks Mr. S. D. Waterman; song, "Fairwell to the Forests," quartet; address and presentation of diplomas, by Dr. Allen; song, "Old Black Joe," class.

The members of the regular graduating class are: Frank Agar, Alan Clarke, Lee Camp, Clarence Flagg, Elbert Forster, Roy Forster, Chancellor Gladys, Willie Glick, Thomas Hannan, Stanley Hall, Harold Hawkins, Hal Harding, Chandler Harrison, Harvey Heilborn, Edwin Holmes, James Howard, Mildred La Grange, Randall Laymon, Irving Norton, Stanley Robinson, Monroe Steiner, George Steuber, Will Stone, Edward Steer, Seymour Towbridge, Edna Wade, Donald Coston, Lorraine Andrews, Hattie Best, Margaret Buckham, William Burns, Alice Eliastad, Janita Jarnette, Sylvia Knowlton, Brita Lind, Katherine McKee, Ethel McKee, Edna Miller, Leontine Rickard, Leila Patton, Edna Root, Isabella Rutherford, Edna Sherrill.

BERKELEY, May 28.—George F. Ruble, a member of the grocery firm of S. J. Hill & Co., and Clarence Richards, a delivery clerk, were badly injured last night in a runaway accident in South Berkeley. Both men were thrown out of a wagon, picked up by passersby were found to be in such a serious condition that they had to be removed to their homes.

Russ Colby, the oldest son of Professor George Colby of the University of California, tripped and fell at the McKinley School yesterday, sustaining a fracture of the arm. He was taken to his home in Claremont.

HAYWARDS, SAN LEANDRO, EMERYVILLE, FRUITVALE, GOLDEN GATE

WAS SUCCESSFUL REV. CURRAN TO
AFFAIR. PREACH.

WOODMEN ENTERTAINMENT AND DANCE WAS LARGELY ATTENDED.

FRUITVALE, May 28.—The entertainment and dance given by Fruitvale Camp, No. 431, W. O. W., Thursday evening, was a highly successful affair. The attendance was unusually large and the program well rendered, local talent participating. The entertainment was followed by refreshments served on tables decorated with flowers. Then the dancing began and continued until a late hour. Financially and artistically, the affair was a decided success, and the Woodmen are congratulating themselves upon the outcome.

JOTTINGS OF INTEREST.
The car tracks on Fruitvale avenue are being repaired.
On June 12th, the German Ladies' Benevolent Society of the Red Cross, will hold a picnic at Fruitvale. Games will be indulged in and music furnished by H. Hock's orchestra.
Several new residences are being erected in the vicinity. The new business block on Fruitvale avenue is nearing completion.

GO TO RUSSIAN RIVER.
Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ferguson and Miss Dashi Chisholm left this morning for a week-end company sojourn, at Camp Vacation on the Russian River.

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USUAL INTERESTING LIFE SER-
MONS AT BAPTIST CHURCH
TOMORROW.

GOLDEN GATE, May 28.—The usual interesting life sermons which Rev. J. P. Curran has been delivering to the audiences of the Golden Gate Baptist Church will be continued for tomorrow.

The subject which the Rev. Curran has selected is "Making the Best of His Opportunities." The point of the lecture will be a comparison drawn between the life of Jesus and the mortal life of the present day. The final advice will center about the point that all should be ready to see an opportunity and grasp it to the benefit of self and the community in general. The evening service will be of a special order and interesting talks on religious work will be enjoyed.

MISS BROMLEY RETURNS.
Miss Hattie Bromley, who has for a few weeks been visiting friends in Capitola, has returned to Golden Gate.

FUNERAL TOMORROW.
The funeral of Thomas Ronaldson, who died recently, will be held tomorrow from his late residence. It will be of a private nature, only the immediate relatives being in attendance.

COAL DEALER CLOSING.
Ole Oleson, who has been for some time conducting a coal and express business on San Pablo, has closed his offices. He has left for Santa Paula to enter the employ of A. C. Delitz, and will conduct Mr. Delitz's ranch for him.

VISITORS FROM NAPA.
Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Farman are visiting on forty-seven days. They come from Napa and will remain for a few weeks.

BASEBALL AT FREEMAN'S.
Freeman's Park is doing a good baseball business, both during week days and holidays. Tomorrow the Sullivan, who played such a good game with the Customs team last week, are scheduled to play with a San Francisco team. Sunday there will be three day games. The Crail, the Turfs and Enterprise Brewing Company's baseball teams will be seen on the diamond in games with local teams. Their opponents have not yet been announced.

WOMEN OF WOODCRAFT.
The Eschscholtz Circle No. 184, Women of Woodcraft, will hold their regular meetings every Monday evening during each month. The public is invited to attend. The next meeting will be held June 13. Miss Bertha M. Sumner, State organizer, will be the installing officer, and will be assisted by the Oakland Circle drill team. At this public installation meeting all friends of the order are invited.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.
The Woodmen of the World will meet in their regular weekly meeting next Tuesday night.

TRAMP ATTEMPTS TO BURN THE
INCENDIARY AT
ELMHURST.

RESIDENCE OF WILLIAM MALLOCH.

ELMHURST, May 28.—On Thursday evening, a tramp, probably actuated by a revengeful spirit, attempted to burn the house belonging to W. Malloch, on Mountain View avenue. The owner, however, saw the flames in time to extinguish them and prevent any great damage. It has been impossible to find the incendiary, he having made good his escape.

HIS HAND CRUSHED.
Henry Layzer, while working in San Francisco on foundation, a few days ago, was crushed between two cement cars. It is feared he may lose a finger. Although he is out and about town he suffers excruciating pain from the injury.

SCHOOL PICNIC TODAY.
To-day, the children of Elmhurst school enjoyed an outing at San Lorenzo grove. The little ones, accompanied by their teachers or relatives, made an early start and made the best of the fresh hours of the morning.

CHURCH SERVICES.
The members of the Grand Army will flock to the Presbyterian Church tomorrow night, to listen to Memorial day services. Special music and addresses of a patriotic character will be the order of the evening.

ITEMS OF NEWS.
Mr. and Mrs. F. Courant, formerly residents of Elmhurst, were visiting here Thursday.

Mrs. John Whistler, of Oakland, was the guest of Miss Madge Flynn, on Thursday.

David Morris was in town recently.

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CLOSING EXERCISES AND RE-
CEPTION TO GRADUAT-
ING CLASS.

HAYWARDS, May 28.—On next Friday afternoon, June 3rd, the closing exercises of the High School will take place. Members of the graduating class will read the following papers:

"The Food We Eat," Miss Kennedy; "Hoher als die Kiche, Ein Auserz," Miss Hutton; "Synonym as a Poet," Miss Hutton; "Synonym as a Poet," Miss Hutton; "Synonym as a Poet," Miss Hutton.

A musical program will be rendered by members of the school.

In the evening a reception will be tendered the graduating class in a Native Sons' hall, at which refreshments will be served. Following this there will be a dance, the "r" being furnished by Barney's orchestra.

The committee of arrangements is composed of the following young people: Miss Grace O'Brien, Miss Helen Allen, Miss Rose O'Brien, Miss Helen Allen, Miss Rose O'Brien, Miss Helen Allen.

EUCHRE CLUB MEETS.
At the home of M. S. G. Reynolds, on C and 1st street, Wednesday afternoon, the Euchre Club met.

Refreshment committee: Miss Florence Wulzer, Miss Florence Geandrot, Miss Minnie Provoy, Miss Emmeline Parsons, Mrs. W. Wood, Mrs. E. J. Boyer, Miss M. Tunn, Miss Nellie Dietz, Mrs. H. Bull, Mrs. G. E. Reynolds, Miss M. Curd.

Most delightful afternoon was spent and all present enjoyed the affair to the utmost.

MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCES.
On Memorial Day the business of Haywards will be suspended and everyone will devote themselves to the observance of the day.

A resolution was adopted at the mass meeting Wednesday, favoring the observance, and consequently all stores will be closed. At Lone Tree cemetery, where sleep many of the heroes of that never-to-be-forgotten day, the following exercises will be held, at 10:30 a. m.: Prayer, Rev. B. Deit Naylor; music, quartet; address, Commander Giddings; oration, Rev. Dr. Lyons; music, quartet; benediction; salute by firing squad, Co. C, Fifth Infantry, N. C. C. taps.

Tomorrow, Rev. M. Frazier, of Oak-

land, assisted by Rev. B. Deit Naylor,
will conduct a veterans' service at the
Presbyterian Church. The collection
will go to the Veterans' League, to be
used in decorating the burial plot. So
far, the expense has been about \$150.

NEWS NOTES.

George Rickley and Alexander Gudice, of Oakland, were in Haywards yesterday.

The Laurel Club will hold a meeting on Monday evening.

George Peterson, who was recently the victim of ptomaine poison, through eating fish in a San Francisco restaurant, is recovering and will soon be as well as ever.

The vacancy on the directorate of the Bank of Haywards, resulting from the death of Julius Hollister, will be filled by F. C. Winton.

SHIP FLOWERS
TO CARSON CITY.

BERKELEY, May 28.—Following their annual custom, the members of Lookout Mountain Post, No. 88, G. A. R., and the Women's Relief Corps, shipped a large case of flowers to Carson City, Nevada, there are no flowers in Nevada at this time of the year.

Ed Berlinger of the Junior class at the University will leave Tuesday on his vacation trip to Europe.

Fred Shingle of the Berkeley High School will spend his vacation on a transport trip to Japan.

Miss Vesta Colby of the Berkeley High School contemplates a European trip this summer.

F. R. Armstrong and W. J. Mortimer, two well-known Berkeley business men, have returned from a several days' fishing trip to Purissima creek, a stream that empties into the ocean below Half Moon bay. They report having had excellent sport, catching as many as fifty trout a day each.

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INJURED. EMERYVILLE.

ANTONE ENOS, OF SAN LEANDRO,
RUNS PITCHFORK INTO
HIS WRIST.

MANY LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS
MADE—TALK OF NEW HOTEL
NEAR STATIONS.

EMERYVILLE, May 28.—The tax delinquent list is nearly ready to be turned over to the town attorney. The checking has not as yet been fully completed, but will be in a few days.

KEY ROUTE.

The matter of improvement in front of the Key Route station on Fortieth street, and the laying of the tracks on the same street has been completed from San Pablo avenue up toward Telegraph avenue for several hundred feet.

NEW HOTEL.

There has been talk for some time about the building of a new hotel on the site from which the Atwell house has been removed. The building will be of brick and it is said will be four stories in height. The plans and specifications have been submitted to Edward Atwell, who it is expected will build, but final arrangements have not as yet been arranged.

HORSES LEAVING.

Tonight the stables of McMahon and McArthur, on Oakland, on Sunday are to be shipped east to take part in the eastern races at the different tracks.

CATTLE TIED.

Owing to the recent complaints of citizens and the rapid execution of the requests made to the police department, Marshal Carey has stopped the nuisance of straying animals in the streets. Nearly all the horses and cows that are pastured near the streets are now tied to a stake allowable, but a certain leeway. The objection is now practically settled inasmuch as prompt compliance with the petitions of those annoyed was promptly acted upon.

PAINT RACE TRACK.

Work will soon be done in the painting and making necessary repairs to the race track. While work is not yet actually begun, it is thought that as soon as the stables leave and orders are specifically received, the work will begin in a very short time.

Any man who has to get up and get his own brush, while his wife sits in bed is likely to feel like turning the "God Bless Our Home" motto to the wall.

—Chicago News.

THEY WILL PICNIC
DECORATION DAY.

BERKELEY, May 28.—A large number of picnic parties will leave this city for nearby country places on Monday, Decoration Day. Nearly every van and express wagon has been chartered for the day by the pleasure-seekers.

The members of St. Mark's Episcopal choir will spend the day picking cherries in an Elmhurst orchard, while the St. Matthew's choir will spend the day at the Elmhurst mission.

Laurel Glenn, a picturesque place a few miles north of Berkeley. A picnic will also be enjoyed by the members of the German Lutheran Church.

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AT THE PLAY



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YE LIBERTY.

The past week at Ye Liberty Playhouse has been a good one. Enthusiastic audiences have seen "Nancy and Co." and have enjoyed every minute of the play. This is the cleverest thing in a comedy line that Mr. Neill has presented during his season, and it has left a decidedly good impression. Miss Edythe Chapman has made a great hit and has thoroughly delighted everybody with her clever presentation of the impulsive and loving Nancy. Two more performances of "Nancy and Co." will be given, to-night and tomorrow.

"THE ROYAL BOX."

The next week of the James Neill season at Ye Liberty will be the last of the opening season. Mr. Neill will present for the week and for the first time in Oakland "The Royal Box," a play that had the distinction of a two years' run in New York City with Charles Coughlin playing the leading part. Mr. Coughlin was one of the famous actors of his day and had delighted many thousands by his brilliant romantic acting. He adapted and wrote many plays and was the adapter of "The Royal Box," a play written about a famous incident of the English Court and the English stage by Alexander Dumas. Mr. Coughlin was presenting this play when he died and it is a peculiar fact that outside of a very few of his intimates and his family, no one knew of his death and Andrew Robson, who succeeded Coughlin in the part was supposed for many months to be Charles Coughlin. Mr. Robson afterwards presented the play with his own name on the bills. James Neill secured the rights to "The Royal Box" about three years ago, and gave it the first presentation in San Francisco in the season of 1901. Its success was immediate and Mr. Neill secured fine endorsements from



MISS FAYE WALLACE AT YE LIBERTY PLAYHOUSE.

ment, when you see such celebrities as noted here. There must be some wise booking agent on the alert back east looking out for the welfare of the house. The program begins with a fine selection by Prof. James' Ladies band, a miscellaneous selection of recent interesting events. Madge Engels, coon shouter and entertainer, does not allow anyone to go to sleep in the audience. Lillian Wulchesa and Jessie Dale, are a duo of high-class artists in operatic selections. Billy Miller is quite a good monologist. He'll do John Robblech, Mayne Childress in their operatic comedy sketch entitled to "A Discard Inharmonious Flat." Miss Susie Lehman in picture melodrama is always acceptable. John Pamplin direct from India in wonderful feats of gun spinning and juggling is an expert in his line. This is a bill that's bound to beat on any vaudeville stage. Many theaters giving a similar show charge five times the admission the Bill does. Ten cents allows you to witness the entire entertainment, including the moving pictures, and at the daily matinee the girls and boys are admitted for five cents.

THE STAR.

"Fisky" Barnett's Jay Circus has to go. After to-day's and to-morrow's productions, notwithstanding the great

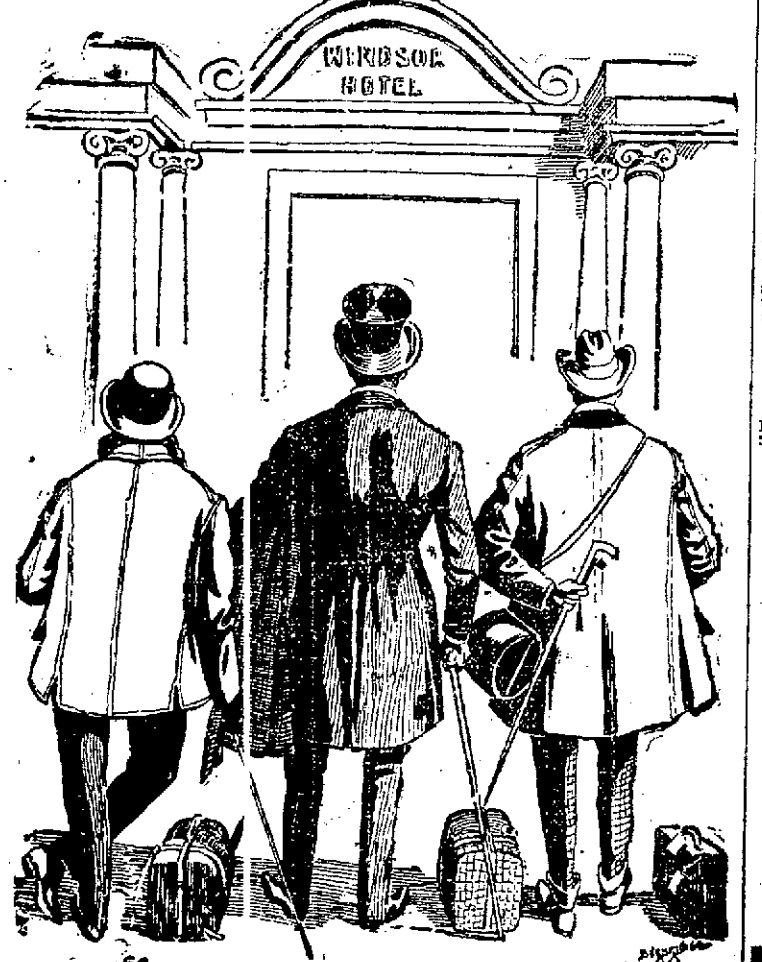


success of this attraction, it has to make room next Monday for new faces and among them will be several individuals away up in the vaudeville business. You'll soon learn what their reputations are in America. They have filled engagements at some of the leading vaudeville houses in the United States. Here they are: Smith and Ellis, comedy sketch team artists; Marco Brothers, scientific jugglers; Jack Ollie, monologist; Julia Lapette,

THE NOVELTY.

There are only kind expressions from those who have witnessed the excellent bill at Col. Lubel's Novelty Theater this week. As usual, the program is one that can't but help please. Every number is of the first edge order. The principal turn being the Sunflower Quartet, composed of four gentlemen of color, who have made a big hit, with their original funny act. They would be welcome another week, but as the management gives a complete change of bill every week, the Sunflower double duo had to make room for others equally as good in some other line.

The program to be inaugurated next Monday comprises several well known vaudeville people who have just arrived from the East to fill their engagements on the Novelty circuit, making their initial bow to a Pacific Coast audience at the Novelty in this city. A few of those embracing the new faces are: Irene Franklin, one of the leading lady comedians of the country, who has always appeared at some of the most prominent theaters in America; Josh Williams, known as the "Son of Bismarck," a Dutch comedian of much ability, comes highly recommended as being among the best in his line; Giller, a company of noted jugglers and comedy entertainers have some new feats to introduce; the Kelleys, sketch artists, are said to



THE "BROWN'S IN TOWN" AT THE MACDONOUGH.

The last performance by the Stevens Stock Company will be given to-night at the Macdonough theatre. The bill will be that great comedy-drama of life in the New York Stock Exchange, "The Westerner." It has proved one of the most popular attractions of the season, and rightly so, for both play and company are excellent. The Stevens Company have established for themselves a splendid reputation and are always sure of a hearty welcome at any subsequent time that they may choose to visit Oakland again.

Landers Stevens, the actor-manager, always gives a thorough performance and the theatre-goers of this city appreciate his efforts to properly produce his plays.

Any one who likes a good, clean drama well played should not fail to attend the farewell performance to-night, and the price is within the reach of all—10c, 20c, 30c.

"BROWN'S IN TOWN."

"Brown's in Town" will be the attraction at the Macdonough to-morrow night. It has for its story a theme entirely new. It is woven around eleven characters, each one of whom has a distinct reason for being there. Abel Preston and his son Dick and not of the same opinion concerning the subject of marriage. Abel contends that a man is infinitely better off in a state of single blessedness, while his son demands that he marry by marrying. This action on the part of Dick means dishonor and the situations and complications that arise from the older Preston are too farcical for explanation. Brown is an assumed name and there are no less than three women figuring as Mrs. Brown. These complications arise from a call of the elder Preston upon the scene of his son's honeymoon. Numerous situations are brought about by the son's anxiety to hide his marriage from his father. Its ingenious construction and witty dialogue together with the swiftness of its action bring many surprises. The music and songs incidental to the farce are all original and do not mar the action of the play. The company includes such capable people as Gilbert, Tossie, George Berry, J. R. Bartlett, Ernest Lenore, Jack Beach, Christine Prince, Minnie St. Claire, Leah La Force, Annette Humphreys and others.

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MISS EDITH CHAPMAN AT YE LIBERTY PLAYHOUSE.

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"OUR NEW MINISTER."

The event of week after next will be the engagement of Denham Thompson and Geo. W. Ryer's "Our New Minister," which comes to the Macdonough on June 10-11-12. Direct from its 4 months' record breaking New York run. No greater proof of the popularity and the great success of this latest effort of the authors of "The Old Homestead" achieved here in Oakland on its first visit last season could be needed than the size and enthusiasm of the audience that greeted its appearance at the Macdonough. The house was packed, familiar faces were seen everywhere, there was vociferous applause, while at the final curtain the audience demanded curtain calls. Mr. Thompson and Mr. Ryer's play at that time fully realized the expectations which had been raised about it as one of the loveliest and most wholesome dramas ever presented in this city. It has been likened to the "Homestead" in its naturalness, picturesqueness and pathetic interest. On the above named date it is safe to say that everybody will be on hand to greet the favorites of last year's cast, all of whom have been retained. An entire new scenic production, one of splendor and magnificence, has been added.

MAUDE ADAMS.

A dramatic treat is in store for those who appreciate delightful comedy presented by a famous and popular young actress surrounded with a company of great excellence. This, of course, refers to the engagement of Maude Adams, who will be seen here for the first time as a star at the Macdonough theatre for one night only, June 17th, presenting "The Little Minister," the play in which this eminent actress made a national reputation in a short space of time, adding her first to the foremost position among the great female stars of the country.

MRS. LESLIE CARTER.

Mrs. Leslie Carter, whose performance of "Du Barry" in Belasco's play of that name is regarded as the greatest piece of work ever done by that celebrated actress, will be seen in "Du Barry" at the Macdonough theatre on July 13th and 14th. Mrs. Carter will be supported by the famous original

MINNIE ST. CLAIRE WITH THE "BROWN'S IN TOWN."

the press for his artistic interpretation of the leading part.

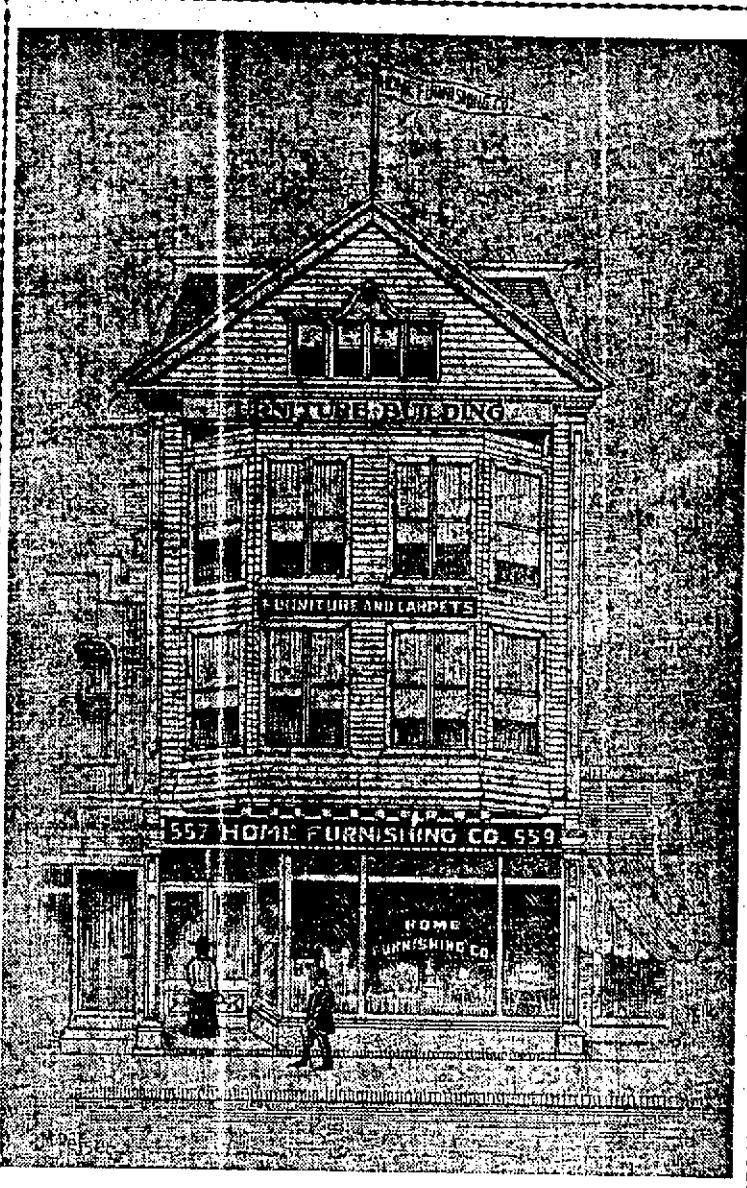
The story of the play runs as follows: James Clarence, the popular actor of the day, is in love with the Countess Helen, wife of the Swedish ambassador, to whom the young Prince of Wales is betrothed. The Countess visits Clarence in his dressing room in the Theatre Royal, Drury Lane, where they are surprised by the ambassador. However, the Prince assists Countess Helen to get away without being discovered, but this incident arouses Clarence's jealousy, and that night when he sees the Countess enter the royal box at the theatre his jealousy drives him crazy and he turns from the Romeo and Juliet scene to denounce the Prince, and thus causes one of the greatest scandals at court. Clarence at the end of his harangue falls senseless to the floor, and in his ensuing illness is nursed tenderly and lovingly by Celia, a young stage-struck girl, the Countess having utterly abandoned him. On his recovery Clarence finds his love for the noble lady is dead and that the gentle little girl has taken a warm hold on his affections. Finding her possessed of fine histrionic ability he determines to go to America and with her as his leading lady and wife, begin life over again, far away from the wiles and intrigues of a frivolous court. Mr. Neill will play the part of Clarence.

YE LIBERTY STOCK COMPANY.

The summer season at Ye Liberty Playhouse will be inaugurated Monday, June 6, the presentation of that rollicking farce "What Happened to Jones," the famous Broadhurst play which has been called the funniest of funny farces. A strong company of especially selected comedians will fill the cast of this play. The organization will be known as Ye Liberty Stock Company and it has been organized by Manager Bishop with special regard for the comedy which it is proposed will be the type of play presented for the first part of the stock season. The roster of names of Ye Liberty Stock Company contains a general that are strong favorites in Oakland and some that have been among the greatest successes of San Francisco, while others are entirely new to Oakland.

THE BELL.

Only exclamations of approval are to be heard at the Bell theatre. There are no complaints against this week's splendid bill. It appears as the weeks roll by the performance is getting better, and as it is always good, the improvement must be of an expensive nature to the enterprising manage-



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IMPORTANT

NOTICE TO VOTERS

REGISTRATION

of the County Clerk,
Alameda County, Cal.

NOTICE IS HEREBY
given that in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 53 Statutes of all voters of Alameda County must apply for registration in order to be able to vote at the General Election in November, as every name in the Great Register was added January 1st,

due to the fact that there is no provision for providing assistance to the Clerk to register voters, **IT IS IMPORTANT THAT VOTERS SHOULD APPEAR FOR REGISTRATION AT AN EARLY DATE IN ORDER TO EXPEDITE THE WORK.**

With re-registration beginning on the 1st day of January and will be in progress at all times until ten days preceding the election in November. In order to facilitate the work of re-registration, notice is called to the attention of voters of the provisions of Section 1097 which reads as follows:

"1097. No person's name must be added to the Great Register by the Clerk unless:
1. In the production and filing of a copy of the judgment of the Court directing such entry to be made;
2. That the person is a naturalized citizen, upon the production of his certificate of naturalization, which certificate must be issued by the court prior to the succeeding election, and his affidavit that it is lost or destroyed, or of his possession, which affidavit must be filed in the place of his nativity and in the place of his naturalization, and with his affidavit that he has resided in the United States for five years in this State for one year preceding the time of application, and that he would be an elector of the State at the next succeeding election, and, however, if such naturalized citizen has previously been a qualified elector in any of the cities and counties of this State, and he has not been previously registered, unless he produces a certificate of naturalization, issued by the party by law to issue such certificate, such certificate shall be prima facie evidence of his naturalization."
3. That he is a citizen of the United States by virtue of the citizenship of his father while he was a resident of the United States, and under twenty-one years, and that he would be an elector of the county at the next succeeding election."

In other cases, upon the affidavit of the person that he is an elector of the county at the next succeeding election, the Clerk may add his name to the Great Register.

Notice that Affidavits of Registration must be filed before the County Clerk or his deputies, so that they can not, in accordance with the provisions of the Registration Law, remove names to before any other officer.

The office of the County Clerk will be, until further notice, open for registration from nine a. m. until five p. m. each day.

JOHN P. COOK,
County Clerk, Alameda County.

March 5, 1904.

PROBATE NOTICE.

Superior Court of the County of Alameda, California.
In re: the estate of Joseph A. Cook, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that a petition for the appointment of a guardian of the will of Joseph A. Cook, deceased, for the issuance of letters testamentary thereon, was filed in this Court, and that a hearing thereon will be held on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court House in the City of Alameda, in said County of Alameda, for the hearing of said petition, and for the admission of any person interested may appear at the same.

1904.
JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
Rogers, Deputy Clerk.
WALSH, Attorneys for Plaintiff,
3 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Alameda Stockholders' Association, will be held at the Alameda Hotel, Tuesday, the seventh day of June, at 8 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a committee for the ensuing year for the dispatch of business.

HENRY B. SCHINDLER,
Secretary.

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BY DEFEATING ANGELS THEY
AGAIN HOLD THE PER-
CENTAGE LEAD.

PITCHED GREAT BALL AND PUT
A STOP TO THE SIWASH
STREAK.

The Lohman aggregation of baseball fans have the happy faculty of switching and in the fourth game of the series with Los Angeles they won the prize. This leaves the games even up. It was a game of errors for the Angels, which, in a measure, lost them the game. Hall pitched good ball but had poor support. Oakland played an errorless game and backed up Cooper in great style. Both teams had a long series of intermittent runs in the score frame and the game ended with the Angels holding a two-spot, which, when it came to the show-down, the Commuters beat out by one. Both Hall and Cooper struck out five men. Schlaefly, Devereaux and Gandy were the run-getters for the Oakland. The score:

Runs and hits by innings.
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Los Angeles 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 2
Base hits 0 0 2 1 0 0 0 2 3
Oakland 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 3
Base hits 0 1 0 1 0 0 2 1 4
Two-base hits—Wheeler, Byrne, Chase. Sacrifice hit—J. Strub. Error on error—Oakland 4. Left on bases—Los Angeles 1, Oakland 5. Struck out—By Hall 5, by Cooper 5. Double plays—Toman to Wheeler (2). Time of game—1 hour 30 minutes. Umpire McDonald.

Runs and hits by innings.
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Seattle 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 2
Base hits 0 0 2 1 0 0 0 2 7
Tacoma 0 1 1 0 0 1 0 4 7
Base hits 0 2 1 1 0 2 0 2 8
Earned runs—Tacoma 1. Two-base hits—Mohler, Frisk, McLaughlin. Sacrifice hits—Doyle (2), Sheehan. Sacrifice hits—Nordyke, Graham. Double play—Mohler to Hall to Brashear. First base on called balls—Off Barber 6, off Overall 3. Struck out—By Barber 4, by Overall 7. Wild pitch—Overall. Left on bases—Seattle 7, Tacoma 8. Time of game—2 hours 5 minutes. Umpire—O'Connell.



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A SCORE. ORGANIZATION.

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PORTLAND GAME—IBERG
IN FORM.

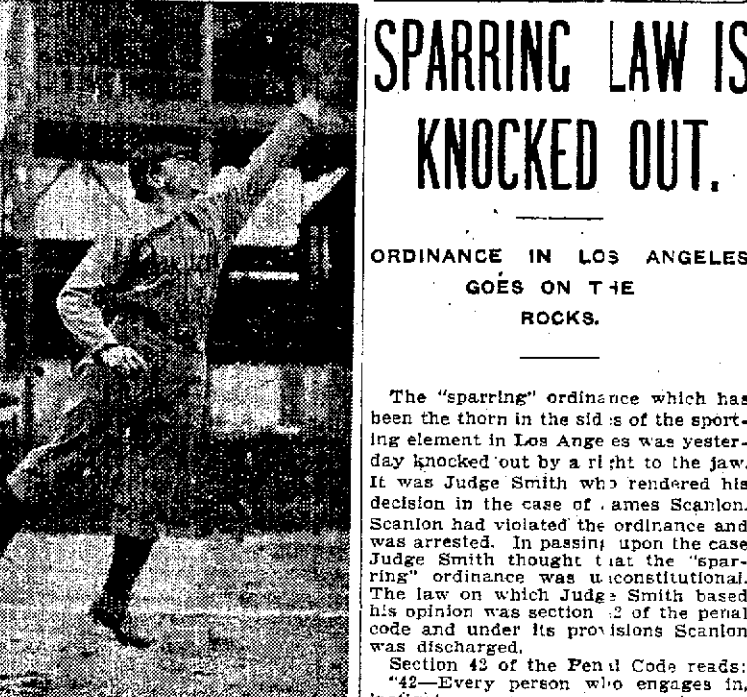
ALAMEDA COUNTY ADVANCE-
MENT ASSOCIATION ELECTS
PERMANENT OFFICERS.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.
CLUBS. Played. Won. Lost. Pct.
Oakland 37 33 4 .892
Seattle 35 25 10 .714
Tacoma 35 22 13 .629
Los Angeles 35 27 8 .771
San Francisco 35 24 11 .686
Portland 35 16 19 .457
The Seals had a score of 5 runs against them, 5 errors charged and a loss of spirit in their game with Portland yesterday. The second inning cast the shadow of defeat before and Portland out of 3 hits secured 3 runs and then the Seals took to the rocks to roar. Iberg pitched a splendid game, was four times at the bat, topped out a run and played without an error. San Francisco did all she could, with depressed spirits, to overcome Iberg's curve, but it was all in vain. The Seals made one base hit in the first and not another until the sixth was reached, when two were made, but no runs. The seventh and eighth gave the Seals a hit in each, but still no runs and it was all over. And still no more runs.
Portland bunched hits and got 10 from Whalen, while San Francisco could find Iberg for but half that number.
The score:

An enthusiastic meeting of the Alameda County Advancement Association was held at the rooms of the Board of Trade last night. The attendance was good and delegates were present from the following improvement associations: Elmhurst, San Leandro, Piedmont, the Second Ward, the Twenty-third Avenue, the West End, Alameda, the Oakland Board of Trade, the Oakland Merchants' Exchange and the Peralta Heights.
A practical and comprehensive constitution and system of by-laws was formulated, and after discussion, adopted. The officers elected were as follows: President, C. R. Smith, president of the American Biscuit Co., and a resident of Alameda; secretary, Dr. E. R. Tait, of Piedmont; first vice-president, J. W. Jeffries, second vice-president, J. O'Toole, third vice-president, A. C. McDermid, fourth vice-president, J. C. Bullock, recording secretary, Dr. E. R. Tait, corresponding secretary, Alex. Mackie, financial secretary, J. Rosborough, treasurer, Edwin Stearns.
The chairman made his appointments as per instructions of the chairman of each of the several committees provided for in the fundamental laws of the organization. These are as follows: Press committee, Capt. John T. Bell; campaign committee, C. R. Smith; finance committee, H. B. Belden. Each of these committees will appoint his own corps of assistants in filling up his committee.
Twenty-five hundred copies of the constitution and by-laws adopted at this meeting were ordered printed for distribution in Alameda county, that the general public may be made practically aware of the purposes of this new organization.

Runs and hits by innings.
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Portland 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 10 10
Base hits 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 10 10
San Francisco 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Base hits 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Two-base hits—Francis, Murphy, Drennan. First base on errors—Portland 2. First base on called balls—Off Iberg 1. Left on bases—Portland 6, San Francisco 6. Struck out—By Iberg 3, by Whalen 3. Double play—Francis to Murphy. With pitch—Whalen 1. Time of game—1 hour 35 minutes. Umpire—Huston.

WITNESS ARRESTED.
PORTLAND, Or., May 28.—Edwin Hobson, an important witness for the prosecution in the cases of Horace G. McKinley, Marie L. Ware and S. A. D. Pater, charged with defrauding the Government of public lands, and whose disappearance caused the postponement of the cases until next September, was arrested yesterday at Eugene, Or., and brought to this city and lodged in the county jail.



WM. DUNLEAVY OF THE OAK-
LAND BASEBALL CLUB.
(Photo Dorsaz.)

SPARRING LAW IS
KNOCKED OUT.
ORDINANCE IN LOS ANGELES
GOES ON THE
ROCKS.

The "sparring" ordinance which has been the thorn in the side of the sporting element in Los Angeles was yesterday knocked out by a right to the jaw. It was Judge Smith who rendered his decision in the case of James Scanlon. Scanlon had violated the ordinance and was arrested. In passing upon the case Judge Smith thought that the "sparring" ordinance was unconstitutional. The law on which Judge Smith based his opinion was section 2 of the penal code and under its provisions Scanlon was discharged.
Section 42 of the Penal Code reads: "Every person who engages in, instigates, encourages or promotes any ring or prize fight, or any other premeditated fight or contest (without deadly weapons), either as principal, aid, second, umpire, surgeon or otherwise, is punishable by imprisonment in the State prison not exceeding two years."

TOKIO, May 28.—10 a. m.—Revised figures show that sixty-one non-commissioned officers and 378 blue jackets were killed and drowned, seven officers, thirteen non-commissioned officers and fifty bluejackets seriously wounded, in the sinking of the Japanese battleship Hatake by a mine off Port Arthur on May 15. Two hundred and thirty-five non-commissioned officers and men lost their lives on the cruiser Yoshino which was rammed and sunk by the cruiser Kasuga on the same day that the Hatake was blown up. The Navy Department has not yet received a detailed report of the two disasters.

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MUNROE STARTS YACHT CLUB TO WILL PLAY BALL
TRAINING. TAKE TRIP. FOR KEEPS.

HAS BEGUN TO GET INTO CON-
DITION FOR HIS FIGHT
WITH JEFFRIES.

SAILORS WILL ENJOY A TWO
DAYS' CRUISE TO VAL-
LEJO.

AMATEURS PLAN FOR A BIG
TOMORROW AFTER-
NOON.

There was a crowd of disappointed sports at the Munroe training quarters yesterday when it was found that Jack Sharkey would not boxing. It had been announced that Munroe would, for the first time, put on the gloves in his initial training for the contest with Champion Jeffries and a large crowd went to his gymnasium to witness the big fellow and heavyweight Casey do a few stunts. It appears that Munroe's finger has not fully recovered from the injury he recently received and that he did not think it advisable to run any risks on the chance of hurting it again. It was decided to put off the boxing until today, when he will probably do some light work with Casey.

The California Yacht Club will start this afternoon at 5 p. m. for the first cruise of the season. The destination is Benicia. The squadron will start from the Broad Gauge Mole promptly at the hour announced. The yachtsmen will stop at Benicia tonight. Tomorrow they will rendezvous at Vallejo where they will remain until afternoon and will return to their moorings Monday night.

Tomorrow afternoon, May 29, the Deasy Water Heater baseball team will cross bats with a nine from Boole & Son's employees. The game will be played on the grounds of Boole & Son's shinglers at First and Adeline streets. They have engaged the crack band of the Revenue Cutter "Manana" which will play between the innings. The teams will line up as follows: Deasy Water Heaters—R. Earl, first base; J. Mansfield, second base; M. Foley, pitcher; M. McGinniss, short stop; T. Boyle, center field; G. Anderson, right field; S. Haley, left field; A. Thacker, third base; J. Capless, catcher; R. Earl, captain.

JOE GANS TOO
GOOD FOR COOK.

Joe Gans proved too much for Tommy Cook in their contest before the Eureka Athletic Club at Baltimore last night. Cook claimed to be the lightweight champion of England and the welter-weight champion of South Africa. Gans went after Cook in true Gans style and in the eighth the reputed champion quit. Gans handed out fierce right and left swings which landed on Cook's jaw and he quit to prevent a knockout.

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SPORTING NOTES.

Switched to the top again! Oakland. Oakland 3, Los Angeles 2. Tacoma 7, Seattle 2.

The drawings for tennis entries were held yesterday for the matches to be held on the courts of the California Tennis Club tomorrow and Monday. There were forty-nine entries. The result of the drawings is as follows:

NEIL GAVE MOORE
NO TIME.

Joe Gans defeated Johnny Cook at Baltimore last night in the eighth round. Ovie Overall is pitching great ball for the Tigers. A goosener was struck for an average at the end of the season.

The members of the Pacific Coast Trap Shooting Association meet tomorrow on the Ingleside grounds.

PEDDLERS MUST
DISPLAY PICTURE.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Hereafter all the push cart peddlers doing business in New York will be required to display their photographs on the sides of their carts. Notice to this effect has been served on the president of the Peddlers' Association by Mayor McClellan. This is the Mayor's own plan for solving the license problem and preventing one cart from being used as a family car.

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